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EPA regional offices and the Water Pollution Control Agencies of each State are listed in the Appendixes. Applications for Wastewater Treatment Construction Grants should be obtained through the State Water Pollution Control Agencies.

Also included in the Appendixes are the new EPA programs that have been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for inclusion in the update to the Catalog.

This booklet is revised periodically to reflect program changes and new legislation which affect EPA assistance programs.

Comments and questions on this booklet should be directed to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Information Branch, Grants Administration Division (PM-216), Office of Planning and Management, Washington, D. C. 20460.

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66.001 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 105 and 106, Clean Air Act of 1963; Public Law 88-206 as amended by Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857c.

OBJECTIVES: To assist State, municipal, intermunicipal, and interstate agencies in planning, developing, establishing, improving, and maintaining adequate programs for prevention and control of air pollution or implementation of national primary and secondary air quality standards.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Grant funds may be used for costs specifically incurred in the conduct of a project in accordance with the purposes enumerated in the approved application. These include personnel costs, supplies, equipment, training of personnel, travel, and other necessary expenditures during the approved project period. Funds may not be used for construction of facilities, nor for expenses incurred other than during each approved award period.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Any municipal, intermunicipal, State, or interstate agency with legal responsibility for air pollution control is eligible for grant support provided such organization furnishes funds for the current year in excess of its expenditures for the previous year for its air pollution program.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: The application must supply evidence of legal authority for air pollution control; evidence of the availability of non-Federal matching funds; and a workable program officially adopted for the agency. A State Plan, coordinated with the Governor's office, is required under Part III of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised).

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Prior to approval of any grants, the official State air pollution control agency must coordinate local efforts. The standard application forms as furnished by the EPA and required by OMB Circular No. A-102 must be used for this program.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the appropriate EPA Regional Grants Administration Branch. Application must meet the requirements of the grant regulations and will be reviewed to determine merit and relevancy of the proposed project.

Award Procedure: Notification of grant award must be made to the State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: For State, interstate and intermunicipal programs with an approved applicable State Implementation Plan may receive up to 75 percent Federal; others 66 2/3 percent Federal. The amount of Federal share of grant costs should be determined by reference to the entitlement criteria set forth in Section 105 of the Act. Not more than 10 percent of the funds available shall be granted for air pollution control programs in any one State.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: The term of grant shall be determined at time of grant award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interim and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Subject to inspection and audit by EPA and Comptroller General.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $46,800,000; FY 74 est $48,500,000; and FY 75 est $48,500,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $5,000 to $2,515,000; $201,700.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: During fiscal year 1973, 232 grants, totaling $46,800,000, were awarded to State, local, and regional air pollution control agencies to develop, establish, improve and maintain air pollution control programs.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Air Pollution Control Program Grants, EPA Federal Register, Vol. 39, No. 41, 40 CFR 35; General Grant Regulations and Procedures, EPA, Federal Regulations, Vol. 36, No. 228, 40 CFR 30.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in appendix.

Headquarters Office: For program information: Control Programs Development Division, Air Quality Planning and Standards, Air and Waste Management, Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants; 11.404, Weather Forecasts and Warnings.

66.002 AIR POLLUTION FELLOWSHIPS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 103 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 1857b. Public Law 88-206, as amended by Public Law 91-604.

OBJECTIVES: To encourage and promote the specialized training of individuals as practitioners in pollution abatement and control. Agency fellowships for full-time study are awarded to present or prospective employees of a regional, State or local environmental pollution control or regulatory agency to provide training for and upgrading of personnel in the areas of pollution abatement and control. Agency fellowships for part-time study are awarded only to personnel presently employed in an Agency. Special fellowships are awarded to individuals for study in speciality areas which are supportive of pollution abatement and control efforts.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Recipients of assistance under this part shall be entitled to tuition and fees, an allowance for books and supplies up to a maximum of $250, and the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution. In addition, full-time fellows who are employees of regional, State or local environmental pollution control or regulatory agencies may receive a stipend in an amount not to exceed $6,500 from EPA. Part-time fellows may receive a small stipend when justified by needs related to the purpose of the fellowships.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: All applicants for fellowships under this part must be (a) citizens of the United States, its territories, or possessions, or lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, and (b) accepted by an accredited educational instution for full- or part-time enrollment for academic credit in an educational program which, for agency fellowships, directly relates to pollution abatement and control, and for special fellowships, directly relates to, or is supportive of, pollution abatement and control. Applicants for agency fellowships must be present or prospective employees of a regional, State, or local environmental pollution control or regulatory agency. Present employees must be recommended for a fellowship by their employing agency. Priority in award of fellowships to prospective agency employees will be given to those applicants who provide evidence of having explored by direct agency contact, opporunities for employment. Such evidence may include written appraisal of their employment potential and statement of probability of employment with the agency upon completion of the training.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Applicant must submit evidence of past academic achievements (official transcripts of grades and degrees awarded), scores from graduate record exams, and pertinent experience, as well as evidence of having made necessary prior acceptance arrangements at the institution of his choice and with a sponsor who will guide his studies.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Washington, DC, Grants Administration Division headquarters office.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project.

Deadlines: Applications should be submitted six months in advance of the academic period in which the study would begin. Agency fellow may commence study at any semester or quarter of the academic year. Fellowships study must be initiated within six months of award or will be terminated. Special fellows may commence study only at the fall semester or guarter.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days prior to the desired commencement date.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: None.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: The term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Such reports as specified in grant agreement.

Audits: Fellowships are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of EPA and the Comptroller General.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $370,000; FY 74 est $400,000; and FY 75 est $400,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $1,000 to $10,000; $6,250.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, 59 fellowships were funded and 17 individuals completed graduate studies. During fiscal year 1974, EPA expects to fund 40 full-time and 20 part-time agency fellows and 10 new and 5 continuations in speciality areas.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: All information included in application kit. Training Grants and Fellowships (Final Regulations), Environmental Protection Agency No. 778 (40 USC 45, 46); General Grant Regulations and Procedures, EPA, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 2286 (40 CFR 30). Vol. 38, Federal Register.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Control Programs Development Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, Office of Air and Waste Management, Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Telephone: (919) 549-8411, Ext. 2492.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants.

66.003 AIR POLLUTION MANPOWER TRAINING GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 103 of the Clean Air Act; Public Law 88-206, as amended by Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857b.

OBJECTIVES: To develop career-oriented personnel qualified to work in pollution abatement and control. Grants are awarded to assist in planning implementing and improving environmental training programs; increase the number of adequately trained pollution control and abatement personnel; upgrade the level of training among State and local environmental control personnel; bring new people into the environmental control field.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: In addition to the EPA general grant conditions 40 CFR 45, each training grant is subject to the following conditions: (a) The grantee shall not require the performance of personal services by individuals receiving training as a condition for assistance. (b) Recipients of assistance under training grants shall be entitled to the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution or the holiday and vacation schedule applicable to all trainees at a nonacademic institution. (c) Recipients of assistance under training grants must be citizens of the U.S., its territories, or possessions of lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence. (d) Generally training grants will provide for student only through scholarships. Stipends are permitted when, in the judgement of the grantee, they are needed to attract qualified students provided that not more than $20,000 may be used for such stipends within a budget period and further provided that no stipend may be less than $1,000 or more than $3,000. For additional statement of conditions, see Vol. 38, Federal Register, June 20, 1973.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Section 103(b)(3): Air Pollution control agencies, public and non-profit private agencies, institutions, organizations, and individuals. Section 103(b)(5): Personnel of air pollution control agencies and other qualified persons. No grant may be made under this Act to any profit-making organization.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: The standard application forms are furnished by EPA. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 only apply to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Washington, DC Grants Administration Division headquarters office listed below.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in

relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine the merit and relevancy of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: The term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of EPA and the Comptroller General.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $1,750,000; FY 74 est $1,600,000; and FY 75 est $1,300,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $10,000 to $164,000; $45,000.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, the program graduated 110 technicians and specialists and 240 trainees with graduate degrees. For fiscal year 1974, 180 trainees will be funded for graduate degrees, and 18 institutions will receive support.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: All information included in application kit. Training Grants and Fellowships (Final Regulations), Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 118 (40 U.S.C. 45, 46); General Grant Regulations and Procedures, EPA, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 228 (40 CFR 30).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Control Programs Development Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, Office of Air and Waste Management, Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Telephone (919) 549-8411, Ext. 2492.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants.

66.005 AIR POLLUTION SURVEY AND DEMONSTRATION GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 103 and 104 of the Clean Air Act; Public Law 88-206, as amended by Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857b and 1857b-1.

OBJECTIVES: To assist applicants in: (1) demonstrating innovative control strategies and program operations necessary to achieve National Ambient Air Quality Standards and (2) demonstrating new or improved methods for air pollution control.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Funds may be used for expenses necessary to carry out the approved projects including, but not restricted to, personnel costs, supplies, equipment, travel, and contractual services. Funds may not be used for expenses incurred outside the approved project.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Air pollution control agencies, appropriate nonprofit organizations and institutions.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Not applicable.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: By letter including information on objectives and methods of project investigators and budget information. Submit to the appropriate EPA Regional Office and to the Control Programs Development Division in Research Triangle Park, NC. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 only apply to State and local governments. Applications should be reviewed under Procedures in Part I of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised), for projects dealing with demonstrations.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Grants Administration Division, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine the merit and relevancy of the project. Notification of grant award to a State or local government must be made by EPA to the designated State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of the Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 30 to 90 days.

Appeals: There are no appeals procedures as such. If application is rejected, the reasons for refusal are stated, and applicant may make necessary changes and reapply.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Negotiable. Maximum Federal share is 95 percent.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Length of project is negotiable- usually 1 to 3 years. Grants are made in budget period basis (usually 12 months). Funds must be encumbered within the approved budget period. Grant may be paid by letter of credit or monthly cash demand.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Progress reports are required. Final progress report due 90 days after completion of the project. Annual expenditure report due 90 days after end of each budget period.

Audits: Expenditures are subject to audit by EPA and Comptroller General.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accouting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $214,000; FY 74 est $324,000; and FY 75 est $500,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Three grants funded in fiscal year 1974 ($24,000, $50,000, and $250,000).

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1974, the program awarded 3 grants totaling $324,000 to demonstrate new or improved methods for abatement and control of air pollution.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Research and Demonstration Grants, Interim Regulations, EPA, Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93 (40 CFR 40); General Grant Regulations

and Procedures, EPA, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 228 (40 CFR 30).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures, contact: Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information, contact Control Programs Development Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, Office of Air and Waste Management, Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Telephone: (919) 549-8411, Ext. 2492.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants.

66.006 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL-TECHNICAL TRAINING

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Clean Air Act of 1963; Public Law 88-206, as amended; Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857c.

OBJECTIVES: To provide technical training to personnel from State and local air pollution control agencies, to insure continued technical competence of State and local agency personnel, and to provide technical training of selected personnel from the Federal Government and industry.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Training.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Courses are offered at Research Triangle Park, NC, the ten EPA Regional Office cities and other sites by local request. Interested applicants should write for a course schedule.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Employed by State or local air pollution control agencies or otherwise qualified occupationally, and meet the requirements of the particular course. User charges will be applied in accordance with regulations published in Vol. 38, Federal Register, November 28, 1973, p. 32807. Contact Registrar for details on specific courses.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Course applications are required and may be obtained from office listed in Information Contacts section.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: Varies with course.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Varies with course.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Not applicable.

Audits: Not applicable.

Records: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $1,294,274; FY 74 est $1,083,000; and FY 75 est $1,087,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAMS ACCOMPLISHMENTS: A total of 128 courses were presented in fiscal year 1973, attended by 3,021 persons. This program will cover 3,200 persons in fiscal year 1974 and 1975.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Bulletin of Courses.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact the Regional Administrator, EPA Regional Offices listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: Registrar, Air Pollution Training Institute, Control Programs Development Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.008, Air Pollution Control Technical Assistance; 66.009, Air Pollution Control Technical Information.

66.007 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL-NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR AND SOURCE EMISSION DATA (SAROAD/NEDS)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Clean Air Act of 1963; Public Law 88-206, as amended; Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857c.

OBJECTIVES: To establish and operate a single, standardized system for acquisition, validation and editing, analysis, and retrieval of source data for emissions and air quality data for assessing the extent of air pollution for use by Federal, State, and local agencies as well as other organizations.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Provision of Specialized Services.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Provides data processing and analysis of raw air quality and source inventory data submitted by State and local Air Pollution Control Agencies or collected by Environmental Protection Agency. Make available to Federal, State, and local agencies data received from all locations and provide a data base for concerned citizens groups, academic research, and other investigators as well as for the Environmental Protection Agency. Fees for certain services may be charged in accordance with notice published in Federal Register 12/3/71. Fee schedule may be obtained from EPA Public Information Office, Telephone: (202) 755-2808.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Data provided to Federal, State, and local government agencies, profit and nonprofit organizations, and individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: A letter is required detailing geographical area, pollutant, time interval, source category and statistical parameters. Letter should be sent through appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office to the National Air Data Branch.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: EPA personnel maintain records of computer usage.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $1,300,000; FY 74 est $1,300,000; and FY 75 $1,400,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Standardized air quality and source (emissions) inventory data handling systems have been established at the Federal level; air quality data from State and local agencies have been converted to standard formats; emission and source data have been collected and reduced to standard formats; data have been edited, validated, and statistically analyzed, and prepared for access by batch and interactive terminals.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: "Storage and Retrieval of Aerometric Data (SAROAD) Users Manual-APTD 0663," "A Guide for Compiling a Comprehensive Emission Inventory - APTD 1135."

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact the Regional Administrator, EPA Regional Office listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: National Air Data Branch, Monitoring and Data Analysis Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, Office of Air and Waste Management, EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Telephone: (919) 688-8146, ext. 491.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants; 66.006, Air Pollution Control Technical Training; 66.008, Air Pollution Control Technical Assistance; 66.009, Air Pollution Control Technical Information Services.

66.008 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL-TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Clean Air Act of 1963; Public Law 88-206, as amended; Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857c.

OBJECTIVES: To assist State and local Air Pollution Control Agencies in carrying out their responsibilities under the Clean Air Act.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Advisory Services and Counseling; Dissemination of Technical Information; Provision of Specialized Services.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Assistance includes the development of necessary plans to achieve and maintain national standards and to conduct necessary implementing programs. There are no use restrictions other than those of applicability to the control or prevention of air pollution and judgment as to propriety by the OAWM, EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Applicant for assistance must be a State or local Air Pollution Control Agency or a Federal Agency.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Beneficiaries may be any public authorities, agencies, and institutions, private agencies, institutions, and individuals.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: An application, preferably written, should be directed to the EPA Regional Office by the appropriate State or local Air Pollution Control Agency.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: None; in general the requesting parties are expected to participate in projects within limitations imposed by their available resources.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: No limitations except as may be imposed by resources available to the EPA Regional Office and the assignment of priority relative to other requests.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: No reports by recipient required. Project reports by the OAWM, EPA may vary from letters to extensive technical documents.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $7,040,921; FY 74 est $5,703,500; and FY 75 est $5,755,400.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Provides assistance to States and local agencies in the technical aspects of Air Pollution Control; the assessment of Control Strategies Effectiveness; and the review, approval, and preparation of State Implementation Plans (SIP), either through assistance to the States or direct EPA action in cases of Promulgated Plans.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: There is no general program publication available. There are, however, a variety of published documents on completed technical studies and specific aspects of air pollution.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact the Regional Administrator, EPA Regional Offices listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: None.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution-Control-Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants; 66.006, Air Pollution Control-Technical Training; 66.007, Air Pollution Control-National Ambient Air and Source Emission Data; 66.009, Air Pollution Control-Technical Information.

66.009 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL-TECHNICAL INFORMATION SERVICES

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Clean Air Act of 1963; Public Law 88-206, as amended; Public Law 91-604; 42 U.S.C. 1857c.

OBJECTIVES: To collect, analyze, and publish information on air pollution which will initiate, modify, and support research and applied technology activities relevant to air pollution research and control.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Dissemination of Technical Information.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Data can be used in planning, programing, and budgeting of air pollution control programs at all levels of government. They can also be used to measure the effectiveness of these programs, to show a market potential to equipment manufacturers and construction firms, and to give direction to new control efforts. There are no use restrictions.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Initial automatic distribution of these publications is made by OAWM to government (State and local) agencies at all levels and to other valid nongovernmental requesters. Some additional copies are available through regional offices of OAWM. Copies of publications can be obtained at nominal cost upon request to the Government Printing Office or from the National Technical Information Service, Department of Commerce.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: For inquiries, none. For publications, must be: government agency, EPA contractor or grantee, environmental contractor or grantee for other governmental agency, library, or national environmental organization.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Only a letter request is required whether application is made to OAWM, the Government Printing Office or the National Technical Information Service.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Indefinite.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $535,000; FY 74 est $505,000; and FY 75 est $508,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: "Air Pollution Abstracts" has a monthly distribution of 11,500 copies at no cost to the recipient. This document is available from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, at an annual subscription cost of $27.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: The following services/publications are indicative of the data collected and disseminated by the technical information staff: (1) technical abstracts on air pollution; (2) retrospective literature searches, (3) state-of-the-art reviews on air pollution technology (EPA's reports and other technical publications); and (4) catalog of technical publications of EPA on air pollution.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: None.

Headquarters Office: Control Programs Development Division, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards. Office of Air and Waste Management, EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711. Telephone: (919) 549-8411, ext. 2574.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants; 66.006, Air Pollution Control Technical Training; 66.007, Air Pollution Control National Ambient Air and Source Emission Data; 66.008, Air Pollution Control Technical Assistance.

66.011 SOLID WASTE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, TRAINING, AND INFORMATION SERVICES

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Solid Waste Disposal Act of 1965, Title II of Public Law 89-272, Sections 204(a), 204(b), and 210, as amended by the Resource Recovery Act of 1970, Title I of Public Law 91-512; 42 U.S.C. 3253.

OBJECTIVES: To assist in the solution of local solid waste environmental problems (e.g., on disposal systems and/or resource recovery), and on underlying productivity, financing, or managerial issues.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Advisory Services and Counseling; Provision of Specialized Services; Training; Dissemination of Technical Information.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Technical information can be used for planning, programing, and budgeting of solid waste management programs at all levels of government. It may also be used to measure the effectiveness of these programs, to show market potential to equipment manufacturers and construction firms, and to give direction to new solid waste management efforts. Training courses are offered at various locations. There are no use restrictions other than those of applicability to solid waste and judgement as to propriety by the Environmental Protection Agency. Fees for certain services may be charged in accordance with notice published in Federal Register 12/3/71. Fee schedule may be obtained from EPA Public Information Office, Telephone (202) 755-2808.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Technical Assistance: Any public authorities, agencies, and institutions. Training: Any occupationally qualified person who meets requirements of the particular course. Technical Information: Private agencies and institutions, and individuals. Initial automatic distribution of these publications is made from headquarters to government agencies at all levels and to companies or organizations with interests in the manufacture of equipment for construction of solid waste management facilities. Some additional copies are available through the offices listed in Information Contacts. Any individual organization or other entity having a legitimate interest in solid waste management can obtain copies of these publications on request.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Training: None. Technical Assistance and Technical Information: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Technical Assistance: An application should be directed to the Environmental Protection Agency by any individual or organization exhibiting a legitimate interest. Training: Application forms may be obtained from offices listed in Information Contacts section. Technical Information: Only a letter or telephone request need be submitted to the nearest regional office.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: Training: Varies with course. Technical Assistance and Technical Information: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Training: Varies with course. Technical Assistance and Technical Information: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Training and Technical Information: Not applicable. Technical Assistance: No limitations. All requests for assistance are considered.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and Expenses) FY 73 $3,300,000; FY 74 est $1,400,000; and FY 75 est $3,560,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: During fiscal years 1973 and 1974, more than 50 communities received intensive technical assistance covering both rural and urban solid waste problems. Success stories include cases of improved environmental performance, greatly increased collection productivity and the initiation of Resource Recovery systems.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Technical Assistance: No general program publications available. There are various published documents on technical studies and specific aspects of solid waste management. Training: Bulletin of courses. Technical Information: The publications contain an explanation of the scope and purpose of the collected data.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Persons are encouraged to communicate with the regional offices listed in the appendix.

OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

66.416 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL DATA PUBLICATIONS SERVICES

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 104(b)(1) and 104(b)(6) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254(b)(1) and 1254(b)(6).

OBJECTIVES: To collect, analyze, and publish pollution control data in order to show types, trends, and progress in pollution control and prevention and to make these data available for official technical and administrative use and to the general public. (Note: The collection phase is in general a cooperative Federal-State effort. Analyses, publication and dissemination are carried out at Federal level).

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Dissemination of Technical Information.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: These data can be used in the planning, programming, and budgeting of water pollution control programs at all levels of Government. They can also be used to measure the effectiveness of these programs, to show a market potential to equipment manufacturers and construction firms, and to give direction to new control efforts. There are no use restrictions.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Some initial automatic distribution of these publications is made from headquarters, OWHM, to Government agencies at all levels and to companies or organizations with interests in the manufacture of equipment for the construction of waste treatment facilities. Some additional copies are available through the regional and field offices of OWHM. Any individual organization or other entity can obtain copies of these publications at a nominal cost on request to the Government Printing Office.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Only a letter request need be submitted whether application is made to OWHM or to the Government Printing Office.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Length of Assistance Period: Indefinite.Time Phasing of Assistance: With the exception of the inventory of waste facilities, publications are furnished on an annual basis. Heretofore, the inventory has been published at approximately 5-year intervals.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and Expenses) Not separately identifiable.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Normal production of publications range from approximately 3,000 for the Waste Facilities Inventory to approximately 35,000 for the Pollution-Caused Fish Kills. This may vary according to demand. New procedures were initiated to establish and maintain data on Municipal Waste Facilities in the United States on a current basis rather than updating at 5-year intervals as previously practiced. Period between publications of these data will be reviewed based on experienced rate of change in the data.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: The following publications are available: Sewage Facilities Construction (by year-1956-71); Fish Kills Caused by Pollution (by year-1960-71); and Municipal Waste Facilities in the United States (1940, 1945, 1952, 1957, 1962, and 1968).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Requests for the services provided under this program should normally be handled through the regional, and field offices. (See appendix of the catalog for addresses of OWHM offices).

Headquarters Office: Director, Division of Monitoring and Data Support, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-7764.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.419 Water Pollution Control-State and Interstate Program Grants; 66.420, Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.422, Water Quality Control-Monitoring Assistance; 66.423, Water Quality Control Information System Orientation and Training Seminars: 15.950, Additional Water Resources Research.

66.417 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL-DIRECT TRAINING

(WQO Short Courses)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Federal Water Pollution Control Act; Public Law 92-500, Section 104(g)(3)(c); 33 U.S.C. 1254 (g)(3)(c).

OBJECTIVES: Develop, keep current, and present technical and managerial training courses in wastewater treatment technology, water quality planning and management, water quality analysis, evaluation and monitoring to personnel of public agencies and other persons with suitable qualifications.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Training.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: A variety of courses are offered at 5 regional training centers. Interested applicants should write for a course bulletin.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Employed by public water pollution control agency or otherwise qualified occupationally, and meet the requirements of the particular course.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Request for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Offices listed below.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: Varies with course.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Varies with course.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Not applicable.

Audits: Not applicable.

Records: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Headquarters Office: Deputy Director, Division of Technical Operations, Office of Air and Waste Management, Environmental Protection Agency, 1835 K St., N.W. Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 254-7420.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.504, Solid Waste Research Grants.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $776,912; FY 74 est $760,000; and FY 75 est $800,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, 2,815 persons were trained. The fiscal year 1974 and 1975 estimate is 3,000.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Bulletin of courses.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: See appendix for list of Regional offices. Training Centers: EPA College Station Road, Athens, GA 30601, Director, ONPO National Training Center, Robert A. Taft Sanitary Engineering Center, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45226.

Headquarters Office: National Training Center, Municipal Permits and Operations Division, Office of Water Programs Operations, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (703) 557-7327.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.420, Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.421, Water Pollution Control-Training Grants; 66.423, Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars; 15.951, Water Resources Research-Assistance to States for Institutes; 15.952, Water Resources Research-Matching Grants to State Institutes.

66.418 CONSTRUCTION GRANTS FOR WASTEWATER TREATMENT WORKS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Title II of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C., 1281(g)(1).

OBJECTIVES: To assist and serve as an incentive in construction of municipal sewage treatment works which are required to meet State and Federal water quality standards.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: For construction of municipal wastewater treatment works. Such works may serve all or portions of individual communities, metropolitan areas, or regions. A project may include, but may not be limited to, treatment of industrial wastes. Grantee must require pretreatment of any industrial wastes which would otherwise be detrimental to efficient operation and maintenance, or grantee must prevent the entry of such waste into the treatment plant. The grantee must initiate an acceptable system of user charges and recover capital costs insofar as they are associated with the treatment of industrial wastes.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Any municipal, intermunicipal, State, interstate agency, or Indian Tribe having jurisdiction over disposal of wastes.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: (1) Certified copy of authorization from the applicant's governing body. Authorization must be current, and must designate by name and title the individual who will represent the applicant; (2) Current description of the project; (3) Statement explaining exact nature of any other Federal funds which may be used to finance the project; (4) Comments and recommendations of State, metropolitan, or regional clearinghouse as to be projects's conformance with any comprehensive plan developed for the area and a statement from the applicant relative to clearinghouse review; (5) Applicant has provided assurance acceptable to the Regional Administrator that any necessary discharge permit has been or will be obtained in accordance with Section 401 of Public Law 92-500; (6) Conformance with requirements set forth in Title II Regulations published February 11, 1974. Application may be made for grant assistance for Step 1, Facilities Planning and other related elements. Step 2, for preparation of plans and specifications; and Step 3, Building and erection of the treatment works.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Preapplication assistance, including necessary application forms, should be obtained from the State water pollution control agency. Applications should be reviewed under procedures in Part I of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised). The standard application forms required by OMB Circular No. A-102 are furnished by EPA and are available through State agencies. This program also may require the submission of an environmental assessment statement.

Application Procedure: Application should be submitted through the State water pollution control agency to the EPA Regional Office.

Award Procedure: Projects considered for award must be approved by the State water pollution control agency and also certified by such agency as to priority over any other eligible projects. Award is made following such certification and approval by a Regional Office of EPA. Notification of grant award must be made to the designated State Central Information Reception Agency and the Department of the Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS: Funds authorized by the Congress are allocated to the States, as set forth in 86 Stat. 837. Grant awards within individual States are limited by the funds which have been allocated to such States.

Formula and Matching Requirements: The Federal grant is for 75 percent of project costs. The grantee must assure that they will provide all remaining costs. Some States assist grantees in providing the 25 percent non-Federal share.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grant payments are based on work completed, equipment delivered, or services rendered. Final grant payment when construction is completed and the treatment works is operating satisfactorily.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Annual inspection by State agency for compliance with permit requirements including a written report concerning operation and maintenance of waste treatment facility.

Audits: Fiscal audit after project completed. Onsite operational audit annually by State for 3 years after treatment facilities become functional.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0103-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $2,995,561,205; FY 74 $2,000,000,000; and FY 75 est $4,500,000,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $2,650 to $2,000,000; $1,239,000.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, 1,400 new projects were assisted.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Final Construction Grant Regulations, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 39, No. 29, 40 CFR 35. General Grant Regulations and Procedures, EPA, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 228, (40 CFR 30). Federal Guidelines, Design, Operation, and Maintenance of Waste Treatment Facilities; Federal Guidelines, Equitable Recovery of Industrial Waste Treatment Costs in Municipal Systems. Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (no charge).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Information regarding appropriate waste treatment requirements and State and Federal assistance may be obtained from the State water pollution control agency. See ap-

pendix for State (and interstate) water pollution control agency addresses. Individuals may also communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: Director, Municipal Construction Division, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.426, Water Pollution Control-Areawide Waste Treatment Management Planning Grants; 66.505, Water Pollution Control-Research, Development, and Demonstration; 66.419, Water Pollution Control-State and Interstate Program Grants.

66.419 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL-STATE AND INTERSTATE PROGRAM GRANTS

(Section 106 Grants)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 106 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1256.

OBJECTIVES: To assist State and interstate agencies in establishing and maintaining adequate measures for prevention and control of water pollution.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Formula Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Broad support for the prevention and abatement of water pollution including permitting, pollution control studies, planning, surveillance and enforcement; advice and assistance to local agencies; training; and public information. Funds cannot be used for construction, operation, or maintenance of waste treatment plants, nor can they be used for costs financed by other Federal grants or by funds used for matching other Federal grants.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: State and interstate water pollution control agencies as defined in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. Agencies making application for funds must submit annually their pollution-control program to the appropriate Regional Administrator, EPA for approval. Requirements of the program are based on Section 106 of the Act, and 40 CFR Part 35.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation. A State Plan is required under Part III of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised).

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Informal meetings are held between regional office and State applicant agency concerning program preparation.

Application Procedure: Submit State Program Grant Application Form or Interstate Agency Program Grant Application Form to EPA, Grants Administration Branch (regional office).

Award Procedure: Program plan is reviewed, and if approvable, signed by the Regional Administrator. Notification of grant award must be made by EPA to the designated State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of the Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: June 15 deadline for grant application.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 30 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Appropriated funds are prorated among the States and interstate water pollution control agencies on the basis of the extent of the water pollution problem in the respective States but an amount not less than its FY 73 grants.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: 1 year; payments are approved quarterly and disbursed monthly.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Annual expenditure reports; Semi-Annual program report; revised budget following reallocation of funds.

Audits: Periodic audit conducted for each year of Federal assistance.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $22,600,000; FY 74 est $40,000,000; and FY 75 est $40,000,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $65,000 to $2,368,770; $150,000.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The program started in 1957 with an annual authorization of $2,000,000. The annual figure has grown to an estimated $40,000,000 and the State and interstate agency expenditures have increased more than seven times during that period. Many of these agencies have substantially strengthened their programs. There were 60 grants awarded in fiscal year 1974.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: General Grant Regulations and Procedures, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, 40 CFR 30, Digest of fiscal year 1972 State Program Plans; Handbook of Procedures, State and Interstate Program Grants; Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (no charge); Environmental Protection Agency, State and Local Assistance Program, Interim Regulations, Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 125 (40 CFR 35).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: See appendix.

Headquarters Office: Chief, State Program Branch, Water Planning Division, Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 755-2114.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.424, Water Quality Management Technical Planning Assistance; 15.950, Additional Water Resources Research.

66.420 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL-STATE AND LOCAL MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 104 (g) (1), Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254 (g) (1).

OBJECTIVES: To design and carry out innovative and imaginative training programs which complement existing manpower development and training programs; to provide advanced teacher training to those involved in conducting operator training programs; and to train operators in advanced waste treatment technology.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Funds are basically used for the design and implementation of innovative training courses and teaching techniques in water pollution control and abatement. Funds may not be used for construction.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: State, local, or district water pollution control agencies, or private nonprofit institutions.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Applicants for this program should apply on application form required by OMB Circular No. A-102 furnished by EPA. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 only apply to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Training applications submitted under Section 104(g)(1) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act will be submitted as follows: (a) State Operator Training, appropriate EPA Regional Office; and (b) National Impact and Special Project, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project. Notification of grant award to a State or local government must be made by EPA to the designated State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of the Treasury on SF 240. (State operator training only.)

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grant) FY 73 $1,041,692; FY 74 est $1,483,000; and FY 75 est $1,505,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $3,000 to $130,000; $35,000.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: 2,000 operators were trained in fiscal year 1974. To date 50 States have received training grant funds.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: General Grant Regulations and Procedures, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, (40 CFR 30); OMB Circular No. A-87; OMB Circular No. A-27; "Grant Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency" (no charge). Training Grants and Fellowships, Final Regulations, EPA, Federal Register, Vol 38, No. 118, (40 CFR 45, 46).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For program information contact EPA, OWPO, Chief, Water Quality Control Training Branch, Municipal Permits and Operations Division, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (703) 557-2242.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.417, Water Pollution Control-Direct Training; 66.421, Water Pollution Control-Training Grants; 66.423, Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars.

66.421 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL TRAINING GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 104(g)(3), 109, 110, and 111 of the Water Pollution Control Act as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254, 1259, 1260, 1261.

OBJECTIVES: To improve training and education for professional, scientific, and technical personnel in the causes, control, and prevention of water pollution.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: In addition to the EPA general grant conditions (Appendix A to Subchapter B of 40 CFR), each training grant shall be subject to the following conditions: (a) The grantee shall not require the performance of personal services by individuals receiving training as a condition for assistance. (b) Recipients of assistance under training grants shall be entitled to the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution, or the holiday and vacation schedule applicable to all trainees at a nonacademic institution. (c) Recipients of assistance under training grants must be citizens of the United States, its territories, or possessions, or lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence. (d) Generally training grants will provide for student support only through scholarships. Stipends are permitted when, in the judgment of the grantee, they are needed to attract qualified students provided that no more than $20,000 may be used for such stipends within a budget period and further provided that no stipend may be less than $1,000 or more than $3,000. (e) Training grants awarded under Section III of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act will be subject to the following condition: Grantees must obtain the following agreement in writing from persons awarded scholarships under Section III for undergraduate study of the operation and maintenance of treatment works: I agree to enter and remain in an occupation involving the design, operation, or maintenance of waste treatment works for a period of 2 years after the satisfactory completion of my studies under this program. I understand that if I fail to perform this obligation I may be required to repay the amount of my scholarship. The grantee agrees to take such action as may reasonably be required to enforce the foregoing agreement. Any sums received by the grantee shall be credited or paid to the United States in accordance with 40 CFR 30. 603.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Public and private agencies, municipalities, educational institutions, and individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: The standard application forms required by OMB Circular No. A-102 are furnished by EPA. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 only apply to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Grants Administration Division headquarters office.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project. Applicant must agree to administer the grant in accordance with EPA Grant policies and procedures in effect at time of award.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost-sharing is required.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by EPA and the Comptroller General.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $5,973,252; FY 74 est $3,440,000; and FY 75 est $2,770,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $1,000 to $110,000; $43,576.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Office of Water Program Operations and predecessor organizations, during the last 10 fiscal years, have supported 4,843 graduate students, 228 are in the pipeline, that is, still being supported by WQO training grants on June 30, 1974. Of the others, 3,518 have received graduate degrees in water quality control, 176 are going on for further education, and 40 are employed but did not receive graduate degrees. The program has supported almost 50,000 months of graduate student education (nearly 7,200 student years), with an average of 13 months per student and about 14 months per degree. There were 215 grants awarded in fiscal year 1973. A total of 87 grants are to be awarded in fiscal year 1974; and up to 33 may be awarded in fiscal year 1975.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: General Grant Regulations and Procedures, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, (40 CFR 30); Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (no charge). Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 118, (40 CFR 45, 46). Environmental Protection Agency, Training Grants and Fellowships.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Academic Training Section, Water Quality Control Training Branch, Municipal Permits and Operations Division, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (703) 557-2242.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.417, Water Pollution Control-Direct Training; 66.420, Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.423, Water Quality Control-Information System Orientation and Training Seminars; 15.951, Water Resources Research-Assistance to States for Institutes; 15.952, Water Resources ResearchMatching Grants to State Institutes.

66.422 WATER QUALITY CONTROL-MONITORING ASSISTANCE

(STORET (STOrage and RETrieval) System)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 104 (b)(1) and 104 (b)(6) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended; Public Law 92-500, 33 U.S.C. 1254 (b)(1) and 1254(b)(6).

OBJECTIVES: To assist Federal, State, Interstate, or local authorities in control or prevention of water pollution through application of monitoring and data technology beyond the limitations of their own resources.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Advisory Services and Counseling; Dissemination of Technical Information; Provision of Specialized Services.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Through the telecommunications facilities provided to States, or located at the OWHM regional and field offices, States can store and have access to water quality control data and to pollution control data such as waste discharges, treatment facilities, construction of new facilities and other data related to pollution prevention, control and abatement. Fees for certain services may be charges in accordance with notice published in Federal Register 12/3/71. Fee schedule may be obtained from EPA Public Information Office, Telephone: (202) 755-2808.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Present resources limit the furnishing of these computer services to Government agencies at the Federal, State, interstate and local levels.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Identification as government personnel or agency.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: An application, preferably written, should be directed to the EPA Regional Office by the appropriate government agency.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Indefinite. All requests for assistance are considered. Computer services are furnished as time is available on equipment. Placement of direct access remote computer terminals on first come, first served basis.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $1,730,000; FY 74 est $2,414,600; and FY 75 est $2,414,600.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Services furnished to the States, water pollution control, and water resource management entities range from installation of low-cost computer terminals to provision of technical assistance. They vary broadly according to expressed need.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: The following publications are available: "STORET for States," 1971; "STORET for EPA," 1972; "Water Quality Control Information System (STORET Handbook)" (perpetually updated); "Storage and Retrieval of Water Quality Data Training Manual," 1971; "AUTOMAP," 1971; and "Location Coding for the STORET System," revised November 1968.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Requests for the services provided under this program should normally be handled through the regional, field offices or laboratories of the OWHM where telecommunication facilities are installed. Information pertaining to the services, however, may be obtained at any one of the OWP, EPA offices including Headquarters in Washington, DC (See appendix of the catalog for addresses of OWHM, EPA offices.)

Headquarters Office: Director, Division of Monitoring and Data Support, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-7764.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.416, Water Pollution Control-Data Publication Services; 66.423, Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars.

66.423 WATER QUALITY CONTROL INFORMATION SYSTEM-ORIENTATION AND TRAINING SEMINARS

(STORET-STOrage and RETrieval System Training)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 104(b)(1) and 104(b)(6) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254(b)(1) and 1254(b)(6).

OBJECTIVES: To provide to local, State, interstate, and other water pollution control and water resource management agencies, orientation, and, where requested, training in the use of the storage and retrieval (STORET) system used by OWHM for handling water quality and management data.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Training.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: For agencies which do not have ADP facilities, this training provides the vehicle; and in conjunction with ADP services made available through OWHM, EPA offices and telecommunication facilities, provides the local agencies with the rapid and comprehensive means for handling water data. There are no use-restrictions on this service; however, courses will normally not be scheduled for the same agency at less than 1-year intervals.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: These services are furnished only to government or government connected (Federal, State, local) agencies where access to water quality and related data is required to pursue the official functions of the organization concerned.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Verbal notice should be furnished to either a regional office or to headquarters, OWHM, EPA, that an orientation or training seminar or course is desired at least 30 days in advance.

Application Procedure: When verbal notice has been given, the request for the course should be formalized by letter, memorandum, etc., giving precise dates, places, and numbers of personnel who will be attending.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: As noted above, verbal notice attempts to establish a date for the seminar, and should be initiated at least 30 days in advance.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Indefinite length of assistance period. As previously noted, limited resources allow rescheduling a measurement of 1 year apart.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and Expenses) Not separately identifiable.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: During fiscal year 1974, thirty-eight seminars were held for State groups to provide orientation training in the STORET system. Forty-two States have direct access via remote computer terminal.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Water Quality Control Information System (STORET) Handbook.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Requests for the services provided under this program should normally be handled through the regional field offices of OWHM, EPA where telecommunication facilities are installed. Information pertaining to the services, however, may be obtained at any one of the OWHM, EPA offices including headquarters in Washington, DC. See appendix of the catalog for addresses of OWHM, EPA offices.

Headquarters Office: Director, Division of Monitoring and Data Support, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-7764.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.417, Water Pollution Control-Direct Training; 66.420, Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.421, Water Pollution Control Training Grants; 15.951, Water Resources Research-Assistance to States for Institutes; 15.952, Water Resources Research-Matching Grants to State Institutes.

66.425 DRINKING WATER SUPPLY-TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Public Health Service Act, as amended, Sections 301, 311, and 361; Public Law 78-410; 42 U.S.C. 241, 243, and 264.

OBJECTIVES: To assist public water supply utilities, improve water treatment practices and maintain a high level of service and reliability.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Advisory Services and Counseling; Provision of Specialized Services; Dissemination of Technical Information.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Assistance is available to any State and any utility which coordinates their request through a State. Technical assistance staff members commonly work through the State agency to provide assistance.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: State and local water supply regulatory agencies and public water supply operators or officials.

Beneficiary Eligibility: The general public served by a water supply.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Apply to regional offices of EPA; or to EPA headquarters, Director, Water Supply Division, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Washington, DC 20460. (Verbal requests are considered).

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: Not applicable.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Not applicable.

Audits: Not applicable.

Records: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $2,015,000; FY 74 est $2,200,000; and FY 75 est $3,200,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: During fiscal year 1974, technical assistance was provided to all States and, through States, to a significant number of utilities.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Public Health Service Drinking Water Standards, 1962 (42 CFR 72.201-72.207); a Guide to the Interstate Carrier Water Supply Certification Program, June 21, 1971; Manual for Evaluating Public Water Supplies; Manual of Individual Water Supply Systems; Water Supply and Plumbing Cross-Connections; various papers and reports produced by the staff.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: See appendix.

Headquarters Office: Director, Water Supply Division, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.422, Water Quality Control-Monitoring Assistance; 66.424, Water Quality Management Technical Planning Assistance; 66.423, Water Quality and Pollution Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars.

66.426 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL - AREA WASTE TREATMENT MANAGEMENT PLANNING GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, Section 208, Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1288.

OBJECTIVES: To encourage and facilitate the development and implementation of areawide waste treatment management plans in designated areas.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Funds are provided to designated planning agencies for a period of up to 24 months to develop an initial areawide waste treatment management plan for the area.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: An applicant agency must be designated by the Governor or appropriate local officials in conformance with 40 CFR 126.11 or 126.16 and approved by the Administrator of EPA as the official areawide waste treatment management planning agency for the area and must agree to develop a plan and a continuing planning process meeting the requirements of 40 CFR 35, Subpart F for the entire designated area.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: In the case of an area designated by the Governor(s), the grant application must include a statement of certification or refusal of certification by the chief official(s) of the reviewing agency(ies) wherein the area is located.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Preapplication coordination with appropriate Regional Office recommended. Must comply with all requirements of Part I, OMB Circular No. A-95. In the case of an area designated by the Governor(s), the application and supporting data must be submitted by the State reviewing agency(ies) designated by the Governor(s) prior to submission to EPA. Additionally in interstate cases, the application must be submitted to the Governor of the State wherein the greatest portion of the planning area resides. The standard application forms required by OMB Circular No. A-102 are furnished by EPA.

Application Procedure: The grant application must be submitted in duplicate to the appropriate Regional Administrator of EPA on such forms as the Administrator may prescribe.

Award Procedure: Grant application is reviewed by appropriate EPA Regional Office and if approvable, the grant is awarded by the Regional Administrator. Notification of grant award must be made to the State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of the Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: Grant applications must be received within one year after the planning area and agency have been designated.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 45 days.

Appeals: Within one year after date of designation.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: The Federal rate of assistance is 100 percent of eligible costs for all grant awards made through fiscal year 1975.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: 24 months.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Semi-annual progress reports must be submitted by grantee.

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the U.S. and EPA.

Records: Grantee financial management systems must comply with provision of OMB Circular No. A-102.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $0; FY 74 est $100,000,000; and FY 75 est $150,000,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $300,000 to $3,000,000; $1,250,000.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Not applicable - new program.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: 40 CFR 126; 40 CFR 35, Subpart F; 40 CFR 30.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: See Regional Offices listed in appendix.

Headquarters Office: Director, Water Planning Division, EPA, Washington, D C 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.419, Water Pollution Control - State and Interstate Program Grants; 66.418, Water Pollution Control - Grants for Construction of Treatment Works.

66.427 PESTICIDES SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY-TECHNICAL INFORMATION

(Technical Information Services)

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Public Health Service Act; Public Law 78-410, as amended; 42 U.S.C. 241-246.

OBJECTIVES: To provide access to the latest information available concerning exposure to, and the toxic effects of, pesticides and other chemicals introduced into man's environment.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Dissemination of Technical Information.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: A range of publications and specialized information services are available free or for purchase. Publications available are the "Pesticides Monitoring Journal," quarterly and "Pesticides Abstract" on a monthly basis. The latter provides abstracts and indexes to much of the world's literature on pesticides. In Addition, a "Current Awareness Service" bulletin is published monthly which consists of an up-to-date listing of publications in the field of pesticides. Reprints of the articles listed are available on request. Services available also include reprints of published articles, literature searches, preparation of bibliographies and other information which is of interest to the scientific community and the general public. Reference cards indexed by author and subject are available on approximately 25,000 individual citations of published articles relating to pesticides. Entire articles for approximately 10,000 of these citations are also available on microfiche and as hard copy. Fees for certain services may be charged in accordance with notice published in Federal Register 12/3/71. Fee schedule may be obtained from EPA Public Information Office, Telephone (202) 755-2808.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Any person or organization may obtain service. Those with specialized professional or technical needs can obtain information to suit their interest level.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Informal inquiry or request addressed to: Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Technical Services Division, 4th and M Sts., S.W., Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: None.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $367,000; FY 74 est $417,000; and FY 75 est $450,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Approximately 5,000 reprints were provided during fiscal year 1974.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: The monthly issuance of "Pesticides Abstracts" is available at a cost of $11.85 per year (plus $3 additional for foreign mailing), $0.95 for a single copy and $1.45 for the index copy. The Pesticides Monitoring Journal, published quarterly, is available for $4.65 per year (plus $1.20 additional for foreign mailing) or $1.20 for a single copy. These publications can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: None.

Headquarters Office: Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Technical Services Division, Washington, DC 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 10.025, Plant and Animal Disease and Pest Control; 15.607, Pesticide Appraisal and Monitoring; 66.502, Pesticides Research Grants.

66.500 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION - CONSOLIDATED RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 103 and 104 of the Clean Air Act as amended; Public Law 88-206; 42 U.S.C. 1857b and 1857b-1. Sections 104, 105, 107, 108, 113 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended; Public Law 92-500;

U.S.C. 1254, 1257, 1258, 1263; Public Health Service Act as amended, Public Law 78-410; 42 U.S.C. 242b. Public Health Service Act as amended; 42 U.S.C. 241 and 246. Section 204 and 205 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act as amended; Public Law 89-272; 42 U.S.C. 3253.

OBJECTIVES: To support research to explore and develop strategies and mechanisms for those in the economic, social, governmental and environmental systems to use in environmental management.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with the established policies of EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Nonprofit institutions such as universities and colleges, hospitals, laboratories, State and local government departments, other public or private non-profit institutions and individuals who have demonstrated unusually high scientific ability.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental impact assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 only apply to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Request for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure."

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant agreement (usually quarterly and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspections and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate changes to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants)FY 73 $1,171,000; FY 74 est $1,455,000; and FY 75 est $1,449,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $5,000 to $94,160; $40,969.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, 27 research projects were funded. Studies are being conducted which provide an understanding of the total effects of environmental policy.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p.22716; Interim Regulations. Research and Demonstration Grants; Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p.12784; Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency, no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information on grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.501, Air Pollution Control Research Grants; 66.502, Pesticides Research Grants; 66.503, Radiation Research Grants; 66.504, Solid Waste Research Grants; 66.505, Water Pollution Control-Research, Development, and Demonstration.

66.501 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 103 and 104 of the Clean Air Act, as amended; Public Law 88-206; 42 U.S.C. 1857b and 1857b-1.

OBJECTIVES: To support and promote research and development projects relating to the causes, effects, extent, prevention and control of air pollution.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with the established policies of EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Nonprofit institutions such as universities and colleges, hospitals, laboratories, State and local health departments, and other public or private nonprofit institutions. Grants may also be awarded to individuals who have demonstrated unusually high scientific ability.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure."

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $5,537,000; FY 74 $3,726,000; and FY 75 est $4,950,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $3,300 to $182,383; $44,478.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1972, 96 grants were funded.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations; Grant Programs; Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations. Research and Demonstration Grants; Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p.12784; "Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency," no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.002, Air Pollution Fellowships; 66.003, Air Pollution Manpower Training Grants; 66.005, Air Pollution Survey and Demonstration Grants.

66.502 PESTICIDES RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 20 of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended; Public Law 92-516; 7 U.S.C. 136r.

OBJECTIVES: To support and promote the coordination of research projects relating to human and ecological effects from pesticides, pesticide degradation products, and alternatives to pesticides.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for the allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with the established policies of EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Universities or others as may be necessary.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local government.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations, and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure."

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspections and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate changes to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $904,00; FY 74 est $1,140,000; and FY 75 est $1,202,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $13,850 to $300,000; $48,924.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, 18 grant applications were awarded.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations, Research and Demonstration Grant, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p. 12784;

"Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency," no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 10.053, Dairy Indemnity Payments; 15.604, Fishery Research-Information; 15.607, Pesticide Appraisal and Monitoring; 15.610, Wildlife Research Information.

66.503 RADIATION RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Public Health Service Act, as amended; Public law 78-410; 42 U.S.C. 241 and 246.

OBJECTIVES: To support and promote research relating to the exploration of environmental radiation hazards and reduction of the resultant risk to health.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for the allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with the established policies of EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Universities, hospitals, laboratories, other public or private institutions, or individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations, and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure."

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $284,000; FY 74 est $158,000; and FY 75 est $149,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $15,170 to $52,800; $38,809.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1973, seven grants were funded for research work.

Regulations, guidelines, and literature: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations, Research and Demonstration Grants, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p.12784; "Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency, " no charge. Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency," no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: None.

66.504 SOLID WASTE RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Solid Waste Disposal Act, Section 204, and 205 as amended; Public Law 89-272; 42 U.S.C. 3253.

OBJECTIVES: To support and promote the coordination of research and development in the area of collection, storage, utilization, salvage or final disposal of solid waste.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for the allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with established EPA policies.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Public or private agencies and institutions and individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental Assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to EPA Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy of application in relation to grant regulations, and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure."

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $464,000; FY 74 est $295,000; and FY 75 est $418,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $13,667 to $1[illegible]95; $58,696.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Studies are being conducted to determine means of recovering materials and energy from waste materials and methods for the reduction, neutralization, recovery and disposal of solid waste. In fiscal year 1973, 8 research grants were awarded.

Regulations, Guidelines, and LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations, Research and Demonstration Grants, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p. 12784; Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency, no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: None.

66.505 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL--RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND DEMONSTRATION

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 104, 105, 107, 108, 113 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended; Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254, 1255, 1257, 1258, 1263.

OBJECTIVES: To support and promote the coordination and acceleration of research, development, and demonstration projects relating to the causes, effects, extent, prevention, reduction and elimination of water pollution.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institution, in accordance with established EPA policies.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Nonprofit institutions such as universities and colleges, hospitals, laboratories, State and local government departments, other public or private nonprofit institutions, grants may also be awarded to individuals and persons who have demonstrated unusually high scientific ability.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable; environmental assessment required with application. Applications should be reviewed under procedures in Part I of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised). Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to program evaluation; technical and extramural review determines the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure; however, revised proposals may be resubmitted in light of "Award Procedure." Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required, except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by EPA and the Comptroller General.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $16,773,429; FY 74 est $15,053,000; and FY 75 est $13,000,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Research Grants: $2,750 to $502,354; $47,536; Demonstration Grants: $5,000 to $487,788; $127,169.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Significant projects include research and demonstration of methods for the control and treatment of wastewaters discharged from the urban environment. Efforts are also directed toward new or improved treatment of wastes from agricultural activities, oil and hazardous material spills, industrial manufacturing, and mining operations. Projects also include research to increase the understanding of the aquatic ecosystem and eutrophication process. In fiscal year 1973, 231 grants were awarded.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations, Research and Demonstration Grants, Environmental Pro-

tection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, P.12784; "Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency," (no charge).

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact, Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 15.950, Additional Water Resources Research; 66.418, Construction Grants for Wastewater Treatment Works.

66.506 WATER SUPPLY RESEARCH GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 301 of the Public Health Service Act; 42 U.S.C. 241.

OBJECTIVES: To support research aimed at establishing health criteria for organic, inorganic and microbiological contaminants of drinking water and to establish safe recreational water quality standards.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Available for the allowable direct cost expenditures incident to research performance plus allocable portions of allowable indirect costs of the institutions, in accordance with the established policies of EPA.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Universities, hospitals, laboratories, and other public or private institutions, or individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Discussion with program office advisable. Environmental assessment required with application. Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to State and local governments.

Application Procedure: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine the adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to program evaluation, technical and extramural review to determine the merit and relevance of the project.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Approximately 90 days.

Appeals: No appeals procedure as such. However, revised proposals may be resubmitted according to instructions above.

Renewals: None. Standard grant application should be prepared and submitted. It will be reviewed in same manner as a new application and will compete for available funds.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required except for programs where matching funds are required by statute.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Grants normally funded on a 12-month basis (yearly). Total project period varies according to program requirements.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: As specified in grant award (usually quarterly interims and final progress and expenditure reports).

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of the Comptroller General of the United States and EPA.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records and to substantiate charges to each grant, must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All such records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, and if questions still remain, such as those raised as a result of audit, related records should be retained until the matter is completely resolved.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0107-0-1-404.

Obligations: FY 73 $87,571; FY 74 est $128,000; and FY 75 est $182,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $8,843 to $54,579; $29,190.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Projects have been started for the effective and economical control of drinking water contaminants during storage, treatment, and distribution. Studies also include the biological effects resulting from the presence of infectious agents and toxic contaminants. In fiscal year 1973, 3 research grants were awarded.

Regulations, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716; Interim Regulations, Research and Demonstration Grants, Environmental Protection Agency; Federal Register, Vol. 38, No. 93, p.12784; "Federal Assistance Program of the Environmental Protection Agency," no charge.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, DC 20460. For program information contact, Chief, Project Processing Staff, Office of Research and Development, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202)426-2275.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 15.950, Additional Water Resources Research, 66.505, Water Pollution Control-Research, Development, and Demonstration.

OFFICE OF PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

66.600 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION-CONSOLIDATED PROGRAM GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Including but not limited to: Section 105 of the Clean n Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 1857c. Section 106 of the Federal Water Poilution Control Act Amendments of 1972, 33 U.S.C. 1151. Section 207 or 208 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, 42 U.S.C. 3251 et seq.

Objectives: To enable States to coordinate and manage environmental approaches to their pollution problems. Consolidated grants are alternate grant delivery mechanisms. These mechanisms provide for consolidating into one grant instrument those grants awarded separately to States for management of environmental protection activities including but not limited to air pollution control, water pollution control, and solid waste management.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Grant funds may be used for costs specifically incurred in the conduct of a project in accordance with the purposes enumerated in the approved application.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligiblity: Any State with a single agency eligible to receive and administer funds made available through the applicable statutory authorizations. Such an agency is eligible even though it may not be currently receiving funds under one of the grant authorities.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: States and EPA Regional Offices together have flexibility in developing the format of the application so long as funding sources are indicated, and the State presents an interdisciplinary approach to its pollution problems. States are encouraged to describe all their environmental protection activities. The application should include quantified State objectives. If possible, the State should include critical path/strategy charts of its pollution control decision-making efforts. The applicant's program should complement the applicable EPA Regional Office program plans and priorities. Information contained in the application should not duplicate information already provided or to be provided by the State to satisfy other EPA requirements such as air implementation plan documentation. A State Plan is required under Part III of OMB Circular No. A-95 (revised).

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Preapplication communications should be directed to the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator. Environmental assessment required with application. Applicants for State and local entities should use standard application forms as required by OMB Circular No. A-102 and furnished by EPA.

Application Procedure: The application should be submitted to the appropriate EPA Regional Office.

Award Procedure: Notification of grant award must be made by EPA to the designated State Central Information Reception Agency and Department of Treasury on SF 240.

Deadlines: Grant must be approved by EPA prior to beginning of State's fiscal year.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Minimum review time is 7 days.

Appeals: None.

Renewals: None.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: See applicable program descriptions.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: The terms of the grant agreement shall be determined by the State and EPA at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Only final expenditure reports are required. State-regional office grantee program performance evaluation meetings may be scheduled 60 days after initiation of the grant and approximately every 90 days thereafter. After each meeting, the regional office will prepare an evaluation report and submit a copy to the State. A semi-annual evaluation is required. Both State and EPA performance should be evaluated at the meetings. The final quarterly report should be an annual report. The State will not be required to submit written progress reports during the course of the grant cycle. The State must be provided with the evaluation format early enough to be prepared for the scheduled evaluation conferences.

Audits: Subject to inspection and audit by EPA and the U.S. Comptroller General.

Records: See EPA Grant Programs, Interim Regulations, Subchapter B, Appendix A.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: See applicable program descriptions.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: See applicable program descriptions.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Nine grants totaling $12,300,000 were awarded to States for support of their fiscal year 1974 activities.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: EPA Grant Programs, Interim Regulations, 40 CFR Part 30; EPA, General Grant Regulations and Procedures, State and Local Assistance, 40 CFR Part 35.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in appendix.

Headquarters Office: Director, Grants Administration Division, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.001, Air Pollution Control Program Grants; 66.419, Water Pollution Control-State and Interstate Program Grants.

OFFICE OF LEGISLATION

66.650 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION-INTERSTATE COOPERATION AND UNIFORM LAWS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF LEGISLATION, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 102, Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 1857 et seq. (1970); Section 103, Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1151 et seq. (1970); Section 206, Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 3251 et seq. (1970); Section 22, Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, 7 U.S.C. 135-135k (1970); Section 2021, 1954 Atomic Energy Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 2013(d), 2021, 2051, 2073(b), (e), 2092, 2093, 2099, 2111,2112, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2139, 2153, 2201, 2210 (1970); and Section 14, Noise Pollution and Abatement Act of 1970, 42 U.S.C. 1858 et seq. (1970).

OBJECTIVES: To encourage enactment of improved and, so far as practicable, uniform State and local laws; and to encourage cooperative interstate, interlocal, and regional activities by State and local governments in environmental management.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Advisory Services and Counseling.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Development of effective environmental quality legislative action programs, management laws, and compacts with view to consistency with other State and regional programs in furtherance of strong cooperative national program. No specific restrictions imposed by law or regulation.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: State and local environmental protection or pollution control agencies; other appropriate State, regional and local authorities; committees, members, or staffs of State legislatures; compact commissions; other interstate and regional groups.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: None.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None.

Application Procedure: Written or oral request to EPA headquarters or regional offices.

Award Procedure: Not applicable.

Deadlines: None.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: Not applicable.

Appeals: Not applicable.

Renewals: Not applicable.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Not applicable.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None.

Audits: Not applicable.

Records: None.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Salaries and expenses) FY 73 $205,000; FY 74 est $314,000; and FY 75 est $215,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Not applicable.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Model laws developed by the first annual National Symposium on State Environmental Legislation were published in the Council of State Government's 1973 volume, "Suggested State Legislation." The second Symposium was held in April, 1973, and model laws developed at that meeting will be published in the 1974 edition of "Suggested State Legislation." Additional assistance is provided on a continuing basis throughout the year through sub-national meetings, distribution of model laws, and evaluation of model laws, and evaluation of proposed State legislation upon request of a State legislature or the Office of the Governor.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Above volumes and copies of individual model laws are available upon request.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: See appendix.

Headquarters Office: Assistant Director, Division of Intergovernmental Relations, Office of Legislation, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 755-2933.

RELATED PROGRAMS: None.

APPENDIXES

66.428 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL-PROFESSIONAL TRAINING GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: OFFICE OF WATER AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AUTHORIZATION: Section 104(g) (3) (A) of the Water Pollution Control Act as amended PL 92-500; 33 USC 1254

OBJECTIVES: To improve training & education for professionals in scientific water environmental programs & to increase the number of adequately trained water pollution control and abatement personnel.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: In addition to the EPA general grant conditions (Appendix A to Subchapter B of 40 CFR) each training grant shall be subject to the following conditions: (a) Recipients of assistance under training grants shall be entitled to the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution, or the holiday and vacation schedule applicable to all trainees at a nonacademic institution. (b) Recipients of assistance under training grants must be citizens of the U. S., its territories or possessions, or lawfully admitted to the U.S. for permanent residence. (c) Generally training grants will provide for student support for tuition and fees only. However, stipends are permitted when, in the judgement of the grantee, they are needed to attract qualified students. No stipend may be less than $1,000 or more than $3,000.

ELIGIBLE REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Public or private agencies, and institutions and individuals.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Cost for grants to state and local government will be determined in accordance with FMC-74-4.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to state and local governments. However, applications will be accepted on either A-102 forms or EPA Form 5700-12.

Application Procedure: Request for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the EPA Grants Administration Division headquarters office.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy in relation to grant regulations and to technical & program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project. Applicant must agree to administer the grant in accordance with EPA grant policies and procedures in effect at time of award.

Deadlines: None

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days

Appeals None

Renewals: None

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required.

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Length of Time Phasing of Assistance: Term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Interim & final progress, financial status, as specified in grant award; usually yearly and final progress and expenditure reports, equipment and any additional reports as set forth in the grant agreement.

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by EPA, the Comptroller General of the US, or any authorized representative.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records & to substantiate charges to each grant must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period or the resolution of any audit exceptions.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404.

Obligations: (Grants) FY 73 $5,642,000; FY 74 $3,200,000; and FY 75 est $2,770,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $1,000 to $110,000; average $43,576

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Office of Water Programs Operations and predecessor organizations, during the last 10 fiscal years, have supported 5673 graduate students, 1,183 of whom were in the pipeline, that is, still being supported by WQO training grants on June 30, 1974. 54 grants were awarded during fiscal year 1974.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716. Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (no charge). Grants Administration Manual, available from the Government Printing Office.

INFORMATION CONTRACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Applicants are encouraged to communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix. Perspective trainees should contact institutions tht have received an EPA training grant.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications & procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, D. C. 20460. For program information contact Chief, Academic Training Section, Office of Water Program Operations, Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D. C. 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.420, Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.423, Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars; 15.951, Water Resources Research Matching Grants to State Institutes.

66.429 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL - TECHNICAL TRAINING GRANTS

FEDERAL AGENCY: Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency.

AUTHORIZATION: Sections 109, 110 and 111 of the Water Pollution Control Act as amended, Public Law 92-500; 33 U. S. C. 1259, 1260, 1261

OBJECTIVES: To improve the training and education for technical personnel in the design operation, and maintenance of waste treatment works.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: In addition to the EPA general grant conditions (Appendix A to Subchapter B of 40 CFR), each training grant shall be subject to the following conditions: (a) Recipient of assistance under training grants shall be entitled to the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution, or the holiday and vacation schedule applicable to all trainees at a nonacademic institution. (b) Recipients of assistance under training grants must be citizens of the United States, its territories, or possessions, or lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence. (c) Generally training grants will provide for student support only through scholarships. (d) Training grants awarded under Section 111 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act will be subject to the following conditions: Grantees must obtain the following agreement in writing from persons awarded scholarships under Section 111 for undergraduate study of the operation and maintenance of waste treatment works: "I agree to enter and remain in an occupation involving the design, operation, or maintenance of waste treatment works for a period of 2 years after the satisfactory completion of my studies under this program. I understand that if I fail to perform this obligation I may be required to repay the amount of my scholarship." The grantee agrees to take such action as may reasonably be required to enforce the foregoing agreement. Any sums received by the grantee shall be credited or paid to the United States in accordance with 40 CFR 30.603.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Institutions of higher education.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Cost for grants to State and local government will be determined in accordance with FMC-74-4.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: Standards of OMB Circular No. A-102 apply only to state and local governments; however, applications will be accepted on either A-102 forms or EPA Form 5700-12.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Requests for application forms and completed applications should be submitted to the EPA Grants Administration Division headquarters office.

AWARD PROCEDURE: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project. Applicant must agree to administer the grant in accordance with EPA Grant policies and procedures in effect at time of award.

Deadlines: None
Range of Approval/Disapproval Time:
Appeals: None
Renewals:

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: A minimum of 5 percent cost sharing is required.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: Term of grant shall be determined at time of award.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Interim & final progress, financial status, as specified in grant award; usually yearly and final progress and expenditure reports, equipment and any additional reports as set forth in the grant agreement.

Audits: Grants are subject to inspection and audit by EPA, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any authorized representative.

Records: Financial records, including all documents to support entries on accounting records & to substantiate charges to each grant must be kept available to personnel authorized to examine EPA grant accounts. All records must be maintained for 3 years after the end of each budget period, or the resolution of any audit exception.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404

Obligations: FY 73 $331,000; FY 74 $331,000; FY 75 est $331,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $10,000 - $45,000; $37,000

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Office of Water Programs Operations during the past three years has supported 4 institutions in developing and implementing programs for the training of technicians in the design operation and maintenance of waste treatment works; approximately 100 students have graduated with an additional 100 under training at present. Other grants have provided curricula and trained instructors for the above activities.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Grant Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 36, No. 229, p. 22716. Federal Assistance Programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (no charge). Grants Administration Manual, available from the Government Printing Office.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications and procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, D. C. 20460. For program information contact Chief, Academic Training Section, Office of Water Programs Operations, EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.417 Water Pollution Control-Direct Training; 66.420, Water Pollution Control State and Local Manpower Development; 66.423 Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars; 15.951, Water Resources Research-Assistance to States for Institutes; 15. 952, Water Resources Research-Matching Grants to State Institutes.

66.430 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FELLOWSHIPS

FEDERAL AGENCY: Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency

AUTHORIZATION: Section 104 (g) (3) (B) of the Water Pollution Control Act as amended Public Law 92-500; 33 U.S.C. 1254

OBJECTIVES: To augment the capability of state and local water pollution control agencies through support for up-grading their personnel in professional training at qualified institutions.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Project Grants

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Recipients of assistance under this part shall be entitled to tuition and fees, an allowance for books and supplies up to a maximum of $250, and the normal student holidays observed by an academic institution. In addition, full-time fellows who are employees of regional, State and local environmental pollution control or regulatory agencies may receive a stipend allowances in an amount not to exceed a total of $6,500 from EPA. Part-time fellows may receive a small stipend when justified by extraordinary needs related to the purpose of the fellowships.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: All applicants for fellowships under this part must be (a) citizens of the United States, is territories, or possessions, or lawfully admitted to the U. S. for permanent residence, and (b) accepted by an accredited educational institution for full or part-time enrollment for academic credit in an education program which directly relates to water pollution abatement and control. Applicants for agency fellowships must be present or prospective employees of a regional, State, or local environmental pollution control or regulatory agency. Prospective employees must have a written commitment from such an agency for tentative employment upon completion of the fellowship.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation: Applicant must submit evidence of past academic achievements (official transcripts of grades and degrees awarded), scores from graduate record exams, and pertinent experience, as well as evidence of having made necessary prior acceptance arrangements at the institution of his choice and with a sponsor who will guide his studies. EPA application form #5770-2 and other applicable forms included in the application.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None

Application Procedure: Request for application forms and completed application should be submitted to the EPA Grants Administration Division headquarters office.

Award Procedure: Each application shall be subjected to administrative evaluation to determine adequacy of the application in relation to grant regulations and to technical and program evaluation to determine merit and relevancy of the project.

Deadlines: None

Range of Approval/ Disapproval Time: 90 to 120 days

Appeals: None

Renewals: None

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: None

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: The term of grant shall be determined at time of award, usually 1 year.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: Such reports as may be specified in grant agreement.

Audits: Fellowships are subject to inspection and audit by representatives of EPA and the Comptroller General.

Records: None

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification: 20-00-0108-0-1-404

Obligations: FY 73 ...; FY 74 $344,000; FY 75 est. $344,000.

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: $1,000 to $6,000; Ave. $5,500

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: In fiscal year 1974, 30 fellowships were funded and 30 individuals are completing graduate studies. This year it is planned that 40 full time and 36 part-time Agency fellows will be funded.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: All information included in application kit.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Individuals are encouraged to communicate with the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator listed in the appendix.

Headquarters Office: For information concerning grant applications & procedures contact Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Washington, D. C. 20460. For program information contact Academic Training Section WPO, EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460 (426-3971).

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.420 Water Pollution Control-State and Local Manpower Development; 66.423 Water Quality Control Information System-Orientation and Training Seminars; 15.951 Water Resources Research Matching Grants to State Institutions.

66.431 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL LOANS

FEDERAL AGENCY: Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Environmental Protection Agency and Small Business Administration

AUTHORIZATION: Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, Section 8, Public Law 92-500; which amends Section 7 of the Small Business Act, 15 U. S. C. 636.

OBJECTIVES: Assist small businesses which would otherwise suffer economic injury in adding to or altering their equipment, facilities, or methods of operation to meet the water pollution control requirements established under the FWPCA.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Loans issued by the SBA

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Funds are provided to qualified small businesses for use in purchasing and establishing such additions, alterations, or charges in method of operation as are "necessary and adequate" to comply with pollution control requirements established under the Act.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Small business concerns may be eligible if the loan requirement results from engaging in one or more of the following: (1) The business has a discharge requiring permitting under Section 402 or the Act: (2) The business discharges into a publicly-owned treatment works which requires pretreatment by the business: (3) The business plans to discharge into a municipal sewer system through the construction of a lateral or interceptor sewer; (4) The business is subject to the requirements of a State or areawide authority for controlling the disposal of pollutants that may affect ground-water: (5) The business requires a Corps of Engineers permit for dredged or fill material; (6) The business is subject to Coast Guard or State requirements regarding the standard of performance of marine sanitation devices controlling sewage from vessels; (7) The business is implementing a plan to control or prevent the discharge of spill of oil or other hazardous substances.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Sames as applicant eligibility

Credentials/Documentation: Statement of refusal of a direct loan from a commercial lending institution (2 refusals required in communities of 50,000 or more).

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None

Application Procedure: The application for technical review for certification of necessary and adequate must be submitted in duplicate to the appropriate Regional Administrator of EPA. No set format is required; items to be included are published in 40 CFR 21 or may be obtained from the Regional EPA or SBA office.

Award Procedure: Loan Application is reviewed by appropriate EPA Regional Office (or by the State if the State program has been approved) for a certification of necessary and adequate for the additions, alterations, or methods of operation covered by the application. This review is strictly technical: the EPA statement of certification is transmitted to the appropriate SBA office where a financial review of the applicant's ability to perform and repay the loan is conducted. Loan is awarded by SBA.

Deadlines: None
Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: EPA review to be complete within 45 days of receipt of complete application unless a public hearing is deemed necessary by the Regional Administrator in which case the time is extended accordingly.
Appeals: Within 30 days of disapproval by Regional Administrator.
Renewals: Not applicable

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:
Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable
Length of Time Phasing of Assistance: Up to 30 years.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:
Reports: None
Audits: None
Records: None

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:
Account Identification:
Obligations: FY 73, FY 74, and FY 75 - not separately identifiable.
Range and Average of Financial Assistance: Indefinite.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Program in initial stages.

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Interim Regulations, Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Register, Vol. 39, No. 160, 40 CFR 21.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:
Regional or Local Office: See appendix
Headquarters Office: Water Planning Division, Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water and Hazardous Materials, Washington, D. C. 20460
Telephone: 202/755-2114.

RELATED PROGRAMS: None

66.601 ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCING AUTHORITY

FEDERAL AGENCY: Office of Planning and Management, Environmental Protection Agency and Treasury Department.

AUTHORIZATION: Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, Section 12, P. L. 92-500, 31 U.S.C. 774.

OBJECTIVES: To provide public bodies a source for marketing bonds and other maturities at reasonable interest rates for financing the non-federal share (25%) of Waste Water Treatment Construction grants.

TYPES OF ASSISTANCE: Procurement of bonds and other maturities.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Financing by the Environmental Financing Authority is solely for the purpose of providing a market to public bodies to sell bonds and maturities when these cannot be sold on the open market at reasonable interest rates. What constitutes a reasonable rate and qualifying criteria are contained in 40 CFR 39. In addition, if a public body is of 10,000 population or less, it must have been refused financing by Farmers Home Administration.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: Public bodies are eligible when their maturities can not be sold at reasonable interest rates on the open market. Also, if it has a population of 10,000 or less, application must have been made to, and refused by the Farmers Home Administration.

Beneficiary Eligibility: Same as applicant eligibility.

Credentials/Documentation; Statement of refusal for financing by the Farmers Home Administration in communities of 10,000 population or less; the public body must document that it was unable to sell maturities on reasonable terms (reasonable terms defined in 40 CFR 39.105-5); and, if application is in excess of $250,000, documentation of its efforts to sell the obligations to at least two local or regional banks that ordinarily purchase municipal bonds.

APPLICATION AND AWARD PROCESS:

Preapplication Coordination: None

Application Procedure: Application is submitted to the appropriate Regional Administrator. No standard format is prescribed, data to be provided are published in 40 CFR 39.

Award Procedure: Application is reviewed by the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator to determine if it qualifies. If so, a promissory note is negotiated with the applicant; which is subject to approval by the EFA. Subsequently, the EPA Regional Administrator forwards the application to the Authority with the appropriate certification and amount of the financing.

Deadlines: The Authority cannot make commitments to purchase obligations subsequent to July 1, 1975.

Range of Approval/Disapproval Time: None

Appeals: None

Renewals: No renewals, but there could be renegotiations in case of default on payments.

ASSISTANCE CONSIDERATIONS:

Formula and Matching Requirements: Not applicable.

Length and Time Phasing of Assistance: 30 years or the life of the project.

POST ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS:

Reports: None

Audits: Annual audit of the Authority by GAD.

Records:

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Account Identification:

Obligations: FY 73 None: FY 74 None: FY 75 est. $200,000,000

Range and Average of Financial Assistance: No experience data available.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS: None

REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LITERATURE: Regulations published in 40 CFR 39. Memorandum of Agreement for respective roles of EPA and the Authority, is pending signature of the Authority.

INFORMATION CONTACTS:

Regional or Local Office: Contact the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator.

Headquarters Office: Director, Financial Management Division
EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460.

RELATED PROGRAMS: 66.418 Construction Grants for Wastewater Treatment Works.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Regional Administrators

Region 1
(Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont) Rm. 230, John F. Kennedy Federal Bldg., Government Center,
Boston, MA 02203
(617)223-7210

Region 2
(New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands) Rm. 908, 26 Federal Plaza,
New York, NY 10007
(212)264-2525

Region 3
(Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia) Curtis Bldg., 6th and Walnut Sts.,
Philadelphia, PA 19106
(215)597- 9814

Region 4
(Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee) Suite 300, 1421 Peachtree St. N.E.,
Atlanta, GA 30309
(404)526-5727

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12th Floor
Chicago,
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(312)353-5250

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Dallas, TX 75201
(214)749-1962

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(Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraksa) 1735 Baltimore Ave., Rm. 249,
Kansas City, MO 64108
(816)374-5493

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Denver, CO 80203
(303)837-3895

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(Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, American Samoa, Guam, Trust Territories of Pacific Islands, Wake Island) 100 California St.,
San Francisco, CA 94111
(415)556-2320

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(Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington) 1200 6th Ave.,
Seattle, WA 98101
(206)442-1200

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Region VI Dallas	(214)749-1911
Region VII Kansas City	(816)374-5593
Region VIII Denver	(303)837-2224
Region IX San Francisco	(415)556-7283
Region X Seattle	(206)442-1096

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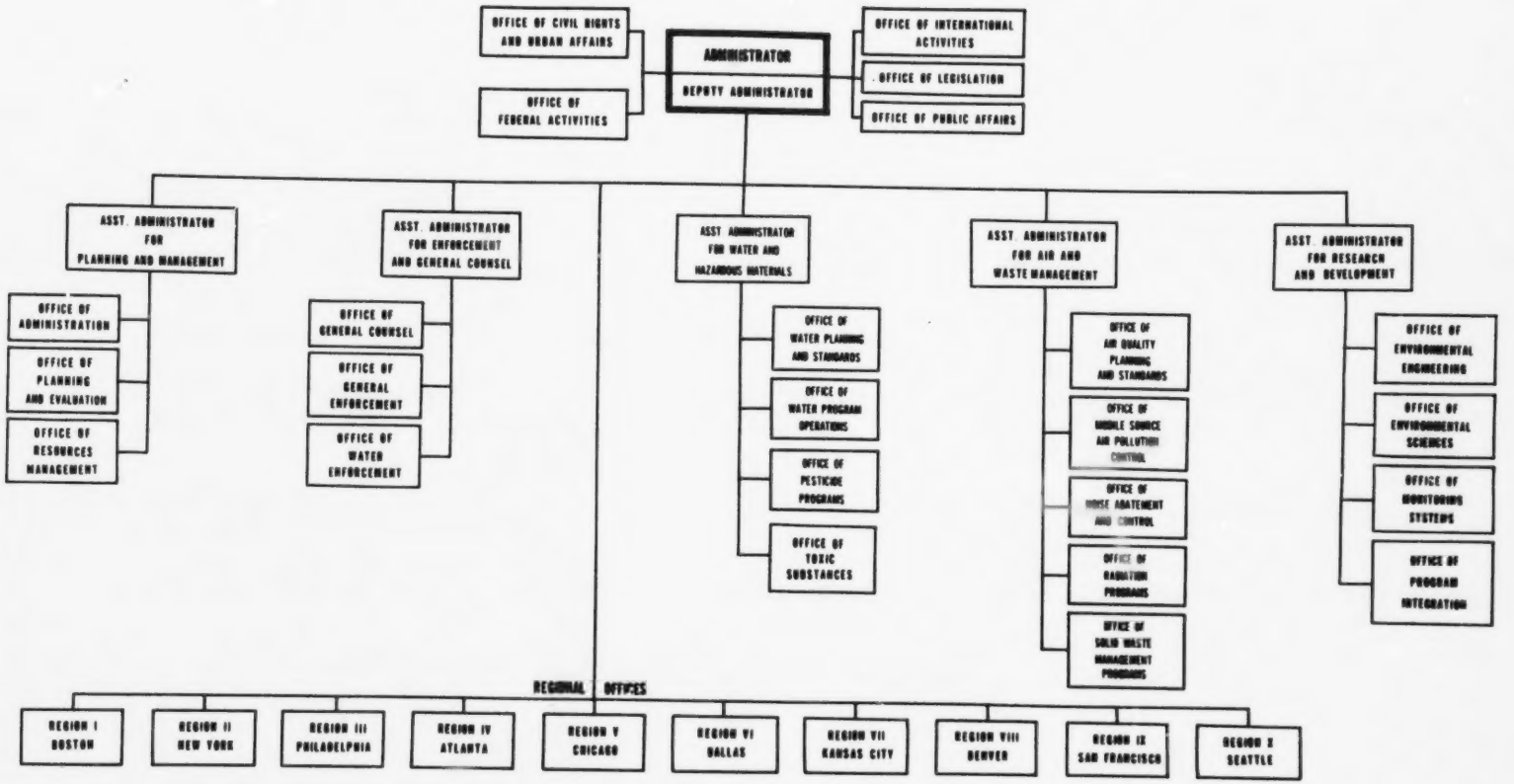
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OFFICE OF PESTICIDE PROGRAMS
OFFICE OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES
ASST. ADMINISTRATOR FOR AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF AIR QUALITY PLANNING AND STANDARDS
OFFICE OF MOBILE SOURCE AIR POLLUTION CONTROL
OFFICE OF NOISE ABATEMENT AND CONTROL
OFFICE OF RADIATION PROGRAMS
OFFICE OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS
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LIST OF STATE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCIES

ALABAMA	Alabama Water Improvement Commission Alabama State Department of Health 749 State Office Building Montgomery, Alabama 36104
ALASKA	Commissioner, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation Pouch O Juneau, Alaska 99801
ARIZONA	Arizona Department of Health 1624 West Adams Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007
ARKANSAS	Arkansas Department of Pollution Control and Ecology 8001 National Drive Little Rock, Arkansas 72209
CALIFORNIA	State Water Resources Control Board 1416 9th Street Room 1015 Sacramento, California 95814
COLORADO	Department of Health 4210 East 11th Avenue Denver, Colorado 80220
CONNECTICUT	Department of Environmental Protection State Office Building Hartford, Connecticut 06115
DELAWARE	Division of Environmental Control Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control Post Office Box 916 Dover, Delaware 19901

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	Environmental Health Administration Department of Environmental Services 415 12th Street NW. Room 307 Washington, D.C. 20004
FLORIDA	Department of Pollution Control Florida Division of Health 2562 Executive Center Circle, East Montgomery Building Tallahassee, Florida 32301
GEORGIA	Environmental Protection Division Department of Natural Resources 47 Trinity Avenue, SW. Atlanta, Georgia 30334
GUAM	Water Pollution Control Commission Public Health and Social Services Government of Guam P.O. Box 2999 Agana, Guam 96910
HAWAII	Hawaii State Department of Health Environmental Health Division P.O. Box 3378 Honolulu, Hawaii 96801
IDAHO	Administrator, Department of Environmental Protection and Health Statehouse Boise, Idaho 83701
ILLINOIS	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency 220 Churchill Road Springfield, Illinois 62706
INDIANA	Indiana Stream Pollution Control Board 1330 West Michigan Street Indianapolis, Indiana 46206
IOWA	Iowa Department of Environmental Quality Lucas State Office Building Des Moines, Iowa 50319
KANSAS	Division of Environmental Health Kansas State Department of Health 535 Kansas Avenue Topeka, Kansas 66603

KENTUCKY	Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Capital Plaza Office Tower, 5th Floor Frankfort, Kentucky 40601
LOUISANA	Bureau of Environmental Health Louisiana State Department of Health Post Office Box 60630 New Orleans, Louisana 70160
MAINE	Department of Environmental Protection State House Augusta, Maine 04330
MARYLAND	Environmental Health Administration Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene 610 Howard Street Baltimore, Maryland 21201
MASSACHUSETTS	Division of Water Pollution Control Water Resources Commission Leverett Saltonstall Building 100 Cambridge Street Boston, Massachusetts 02202
MICHIGAN	Michigan Department of Natural Resources Stevens Mason Building Lansing, Michigan 48926
MINNESOTA	Minnesota Pollution Control Agency 717 Delaware Street SE. Minneapolis, Minnesota 55440
MISSISSIPPI	Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission Post Office Box 827 Jackson, Mississippi 39205
MISSOURI	Missouri Clean Water Commission Post Office Box 154 Jefferson City, Missouri 65101
MONTANA	State Department of Health and Environmental Sciences Cogswell Building Helena, Montana 59601

NEBRASKA	Department of Environmental Control State House Station, Box 94653 Lincoln, Nebraska 68509	NEW YORK	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, New York 12201
NEVADA	Commission of Environmental Protection 201 South Fall Street, Nye Building Carson City, Nevada 89701	NORTH CAROLINA	Office of Water and Air Resources North Carolina Department of Natural and Economic Resources Post Office Box 27687 Raleigh, North Carolina 27611
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Water Supply & Pollution Control Commission Post Office Box 95 Concord, New Hampshire 03301	NORTH DAKOTA	State Department of Health State Capitol Bismarck, North Dakota 58501
NEW JERSEY	New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection Post Office Box 1390 Trenton, New Jersey 08625	OHIO	Ohio Environmental Protection Agency Post Office Box 1049 Columbus, Ohio 43216
NEW MEXICO	New Mexico Environmental Improvement Agency Post Office Box 2348 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501	OKLAHOMA	Oklahoma State Department of Health 3400 North Eastern Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111

OREGON	Department of Environmental Quality 1234 S. W. Morrison Street Portland, Oregon 97205
PENNSYLVANIA	Bureau of Water Quality Management Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources Fulton National Building Post Office Box 2063 Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120
RHODE ISLAND	Division of Water Supply and Pollution Control Health Building Davis Street Providence, Rhode Island 02903
PUERTO RICO	Environmental Quality Board 1550 Ponce de Leon Avenue Stop No. 22 Santurce, Puerto Rico 00910
SOUTH CAROLINA	South Carolina Pollution Control Authority Post Office Box 11628 Columbia, South Carolina 29211
SOUTH DAKOTA	State Department of Health State Office Building #2 Pierre, South Dakota 57501
TENNESSEE	Division of Water Quality Control Tennessee Department of Public Health 621 Cordell-Hull Building Nashville, Tennessee 37219
TEXAS	Texas Water Quality Board Post Office Box 13246 Capitol Station Austin, Texas 78711
UTAH	Department of Social Services Division of Health 44 Medical Drive Salt Lake City, Utah 84113
VERMONT	Agency of Environmental Conservation Department of Water Resources Montpelier, Vermont 05602

VIRGINIA	State Water Control Board Post Office Box 11143 Richmond, Virginia 23230 (4010 W. Broad Street, Second Floor)
VIRGIN ISLANDS	Department of Health Division of Environmental Health Post Office Box 1442 Charlotte Amalie St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00801
WASHINGTON	Department of Ecology Post Office Box 829 Olympia, Washington 98504
WEST VIRGINIA	West Virginia Department of Natural Resources Division of Water Resources 1201 Greenbrier Street Charleston, West Virginia 25311
WISCONSIN	Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Post Office Box 450 Madison, Wisconsin 53701
WYOMING	Department of Health and Social Services Division of Health and Medical Services State Office Building Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001
N.E.I.W.P.C.C.	New England Interstate Water Pollution Control Commission 607 Boylston Street Boston, Massachusetts 02116
TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS	Saipan, Marianas Islands 96950
GOVERNMENT OF AMERICAN SAMO	Pago Pago, American Samo 96920

INFORMATION ON RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND DEMONSTRATION GRANTS

The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Office of Research and Development (OR&D) conducts and supports research, development, and demonstration efforts on a wide variety of subjects primarily related to pollution sources and effects, environmental sciences and pollution control technology. OR&D is also responsible for assuring the quality control and standardization of analytical techniques, for the detection and qualification of pollutants of interest to EPA, as well as promoting, through technology transfer, the use of new techniques, processing, methodologies, etc., in pollution control.

OR&D establishes its objectives and priorities in response to the overall mission and priorities of EPA. It is highly mission-oriented and concerned with solving priority problems, rather than merely advancing scientific knowledge. Although the scope of OR&D projects may vary from quite fundamental research to the full-scale engineering demonstration of new pollution control processes, all projects are directed at meeting specified objectives.

The brochure entitled EXPRO issued by OR&D has a two-fold purpose: (1) to acquaint the research and development community with general guidelines for working with EPA's OR&D under grant or contract support; and (2) to make publically available a list of specific grant and contract tasks which OR&D plans to fund during the current Fiscal Year. Such lists present a good picture of program areas and contain the name, address, and telephone number of the Technical Staff member responsible for that area.

The first ten pages of EXPRO outline the interests of OR&D and provide general guidelines for developing grant or contract projects. On pages 8-10 the submission of a proposal is discussed and the format of the proposal is outlined. Although grant applications may be submitted at any time and on any subject, often it will be helpful to those seeking support to contact the appropriate program director cited in EXPRO or the OR&D Project Processing Staff first for more specific details about current OR&D objectives.

Such discussions can often save time and effort, both for the applicant and for EPA, by highlighting subject areas most likely to receive favorable consideration.

Single copies of EXPRO can be obtained by writing:

Allowance Staff (RD-674)
Office of Research and Development
Environmental Protection Agency
Washington, D.C. 20460

EPA Training Grants

EPA awards training grants for the development of career oriented personnel qualified to work in pollution abatement and control. Emphasis is being placed on training of individuals at the post high school, junior college, and baccalaureate levels in the practical technical details and special techniques of occupations in the environment. Graduate training grant programs will be phased out by June 30, 1976.

Applicants for a training grant are encouraged to contact the appropriate EPA program office:

- Office of Academic Training (Air)
  Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards
  Office of Air and Waste Management
  Environmental Protection Agency
  Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711

- Academic Training Section (Water)
  Municipal Permits and Operations Division
  Office of Water Program Operations
  Office of Water and Hazardous Materials
  Environmental Protection Agency
  Washington, D.C. 20460

Application for a training grant must be submitted on EPA Form 5700-12, "Application for Federal Assistance". These forms are available from the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Grants Information Branch, Washington, D. C. 20460.

EPA Fellowships

EPA awards fellowships for the development of career oriented personnel qualified to work in pollution abatement and control. Graduate fellowship programs will be phased out by June 30, 1976.

Emphasis is being placed on the following types of fellowships in the Air Pollution Control Programs:

- o Agency fellowships - awarded to present or prospective employees of a regional, State, or local environmental pollution control or regulatory agency to provide training for and upgrading of personnel in the areas of pollution abatement and control.

- o Special fellowships - awarded in limited numbers to individuals for education and training in pollution control science, engineering, and technology and in specialty areas supportive of pollution abatement and control efforts.

Applicants for a Fellowship in this area are encouraged to contact the following EPA program office for information.

Office of Academic Training
Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards
Office of Air and Waste Management
Environmental Protection Agency
Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711

EPA intends to award only a limited number of Water Pollution Control Fellowships during FY 75. However, applicants must be present or prospective employees of a State agency. Therefore, applicants should first contact the State water pollution control agency in the State where they will be employed.

Programmatic information may be obtained by contacting the:

Academic Training Section
Municipal Permits and Operations Division
Office of Water Program Operations
Office of Water and Hazardous Materials
Environmental Protection Agency
Washington, D.C. 20460

Policies and procedures covering the administration of EPA Training Grants and Fellowships were published in the Federal Register on June 20, 1973.

Applicants for Fellowships must use EPA Form 5770-2,3,4,5, "Fellowships Application". These forms are available from the Environmental Protection Agency, Grants Administration Division, Grants Information Branch, Washington, D.C. 20460.

Federal Regulations Impacting the Wastewater Treatment Construction Grant Program Under Public Law 92-500

The regulations listed below have major impact on awarding construction grants under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 (PL 92-500) are:

Water Pollution Control, Construction Grants for Waste Treatment Works, Title 40, Part 35, Feb. 11, 1974, Federal Register, p. 5252.

Water Programs, Pretreatment Standards, Title 40, Part 128, Nov. 8, 1973, Federal Register, p. 30982.

State Continuing Planning Process, Title 40, Part 130, March 27, 1973, Federal Register, page 8034.

Secondary Treatment Information, Water Programs, Title 40, Subchapter D, Part 133, August 17, 1973, Federal Register, page 22298.

The following comprise a list of some of the principal regulations or interim regulations governing the general grant process:

Grants Program, Title 40, Part 30, November 27, 1971, Federal Register, page 22716.

General Grants Regulations and Procedures, State and Local Assistance, Title 40, Part 35, June 9, 1972, Federal Register, page 11650.

Preparation of Environmental Impact Statements, Title 40, Part 6, January 17, 1973, Federal Register, page 1696.

Public Participation in Water Pollution Control, Water Programs, Title 40, Subchapter D, Part 105, August 23, 1973, Federal Register, page 22756.

Nondiscrimination in Programs Receiving Assistance from the Environmental Protection Agency, Effectuation of Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, Title 40, Part 12, Sept. 13, 1974, Federal Register, page 32989.

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

General

The National Flood Insurance Program is a Federally-subsidized program authorized by the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 4001-4127) to protect property owners who previously had been unable to get coverage through the private insurance industry. It is administered by the Federal Insurance Administration, Department of Housing and Urban Development. The program, for the first time, made flood insurance available to individuals at affordable rates. In return for the Federal subsidy, State and local governments are required to adopt certain minimum land use measures to reduce or avoid future flood damage within their floodprone areas.

The Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (P.L. 93-234, December 31, 1973) greatly expanded the available limits of flood insurance coverage and imposed additional requirements on property owners and communities.

The Act requires the purchase of flood insurance on and after March 2, 1974, as a condition of receiving any form of Federal or Federally-related assistance for construction purposes or for the acquisition of any real or nonexpendable personal property in an identified special flood hazard area that is located within any community currently participating in the National Flood Insurance Program. A "participating community," also known as an "eligible community," is a community in which the Federal Insurance Administration has authorized the sale of flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program.

For any community that is not participating in the program at the time the assistance is approved, the statutory requirement for the purchase of flood insurance does not apply. However, after July 1, 1975, the requirement will apply to all identified special flood hazard areas within the United States, which have been delineated on Flood Hazard Boundary Maps or Flood Insurance Rate Maps issued by the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Thereafter, no EPA financial assistance can legally be approved for real or nonexpendable personal property or for construction purposes in these areas unless the community has entered the program and flood insurance is purchased.

Regulations

HUD regulations governing the National Flood Insurance Program are set forth in Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 10, Subchapter B, commencing at Part 1909.

The final EPA general grant regulations will include a section

pertaining to the flood insurance requirement. (See 40 CFR 30.400). These regulations are scheduled for publication by October 1, 1974.

EPA Grantee Requirements

1. Construction grant programs.

The grantee must acquire and maintain any flood insurance made available to it under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended, for the entire useful life of the project if the total value of insurable improvements is $10,000 or more. The amount of insurance required is the total project cost, excluding facilities which are uninsurable under the National Flood Insurance Program and excluding the cost of the land, or the maximum limit of coverage made available to the grantee under the National Flood Insurance Act, whichever is less. The required insurance premium is not an allowable project cost except to the extent that the insurance is purchased to cover the period of construction.

2. Non-construction grant programs.

The grantee must acquire and maintain any flood insurance made available to it under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended, if the approved project includes (a) any construction-type activity, or (b) any acquisition of real or nonexpendable personal property, and the total cost of such activities and acquisitions is $10,000 or more. The amount of insurance required is the total cost of any nonexpendable personal or real property acquired, improved, or constructed, excluding the cost of land, with any portion of the grant or the maximum limit of coverage made available to the grantee under the National Flood Insurance Act, as amended, whichever is less, for the entire useful life of the property. The required insurance premium for the period of project support is an allowable project cost.

If EPA provides financial assistance for nonexpendable personal property to a grantee that the Agency has previously assisted with respect to real estate at the same facility in the same location, EPA must require flood insurance on the previously-assisted building as well as on the personal property. The amount of flood insurance required on the building should be based upon its current value, however, and not on the amount of assistance previously provided.

Sources of insurance policies, maps, and program information

1. Insurance policies under the National Flood Insurance Program can be obtained from any licensed property insurance agent or broker serving the eligible community, or from the National Flood Insurers Association (NFIA) servicing company for the State. A current listing

of servicing companies is enclosed.

2. Flood Hazard Boundary Maps are the first maps prepared in the identification process. These indicate the locations of identified special flood hazard areas and are always maintained on file within each eligible (participating) community in a repository designated by the mayor or chief executive officer, usually the building inspector's office or the city clerk's office. The address of such repository is published at 24 CFR 1914 and is amended regularly in the Federal Register. The Flood Insurance Rate Maps are issued later following a detailed study of the flood hazard area. These maps delineate degrees of flood hazard and include more precise area identification.

3. Maps, literature, and policy application forms and manuals are available from any NFIA servicing company. The servicing companies are also equipped to answer questions on eligibility of communities, scope of coverage, and maximum amounts of insurance available with respect to particular types of buildings.

4. Questions that cannot be answered by individual agents or brokers or by the appropriate servicing company may be referred to the National Flood Insurers Association, 160 Water Street, New York, New York 10038, Telephone 212-487-4641; to the flood insurance representative at the nearest HUD regional office (list enclosed); or to the Federal Insurance Administration, HUD, Washington, D.C. 20410, 202-755-5581, or 800-424-8872 (8873).

5. Copies of statutes, program regulations, and community eligibility application forms may be obtained from HUD regional offices or directly from the Federal Insurance Administration in Washington, D.C.

U.S. Department Of Housing And Urban Development
Federal Insurance Administration

National Flood Insurance Program

National Flood Insurers Association

List Of Servicing Company Offices

This list indicates the Servicing Company offices to be contacted for information relative to the availability of coverage under the National Flood Insurance Program in each state, and from whom agents can secure applications and manuals.

Alabama
The Hartford Insurance Group
Hartford Building
100 Edgewood Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30301
Phone: (404) 521-2059

Alaska
Industrial Indemnity Co. of Alaska
P.O. Box 307
Anchorage, Alaska 99510
Phone: (907) 279-9441

Arizona
Aetna Technical Services Inc.
Suite 901
3003 North Central Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona 85012
Phone: (602) 264-2621

Arkansas
The Travelers Indemnity Company
700 South University
Little Rock, Arkansas 72203
P.O. Box 51
Phone: (501) 664-5085

California-Northern
Fireman's Fund American
Insurance Companies
P.O. Box 3136
San Francisco, California
94119
Phone: (415) 421-1676

California-Southern
Fireman's Fund American Insurance
Insurance Companies
P.O. Box 2323
Los Angeles, California 90051
Phone: (213) 381-3141

Colorado
CNA Insurance
1660 Lincoln-Suite 1800
Denver, Colorado 80203
Phone: (303) 266-0561

Connecticut
Aetna Insurance Company
P.O. Box 1779
Hartford, Connecticut 06101
Phone: (203) 523-4861

Delaware
General Accident F & L Assurance Corp
Ltd.
414 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106
Phone: (215) 238-5000

Florida
The Travelers Indemnity Company
1516 East Colonial Drive
Orlando, Florida 32803
Phone: (305) 896-2001

Georgia
The Hartford Insurance Group
Hartford Building
100 Edgewood Avenue
Atlanta, Georgia 30301
Phone: (404) 521-2059

Hawaii
First Insurance Co. of Hawaii, Ltd.
P.O. Box 2866
Honolulu, Hawaii 96803
Phone: (808) 548-511

Idaho
Aid Insurance Company
Snake River Division
1845 Federal Way
Boise, Idaho 83701
Phone: (208) 343-4931

Illinois
State Farm Fire & Causualty Co.
Illinois Regional Office
2309 E. Oakland Avenue
Bloomington, Illinois 61701
Phone: (309) 557-7211

Indiana
United Farm Bureau Mutual
Insurance Co.
130 East Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204
Phone: (317) 263-7200

Iowa
Employers Mutual Casualty Company
P.O. Box 884
Des Moines, Iowa 50304
Phone: (515) 280-2511

Kansas
Royal-Globe Insurance Companies
1125 Grand Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri 64141
Phone: (816) 842-6116

Kentucky
CNA Insurance
111 East 4th Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202
Phone: (513) 621-7107

Louisiana
Aetna Technical Services, Inc.
P.O. Box 61003
New Orleans, Louisiana 70160
Phone: (504) 821-1511

Maine
Commercial Union Insurance Company
c/o Campbell, Payson & Noyes
7 Pearl St., Box 527 Pearl St.
Station
Portland, Maine 04116
Phone: (207) 774-1431

Maryland
U.S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company
Calvert & Redwood Streets
Baltimore, Maryland 21203
Phone: (301) 539-0380

Massachusetts-Eastern
Commercial Union Insurance Company
1 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02108
Phone: (617) 725-6358

Massachusetts-Western
Aetna Insurance Company
P.O. Box 1779
Hartford, Connecticut 06101

Michigan
Insurance Company of North America
Room 300-Buhl Building
Griswold & Congress Streets
Detroit, Michigan 48226
Phone: (313) 963-4114

Minnesota-Eastern
The St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance
Company
P.O. Box 3470
St. Paul, Minnesota 55165
Phone: (612) 222-7751

Minnesota-Western
The St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance
Company
7900 Xerxes Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55431
Phone: (612) 835-2600

Mississippi
The Travelers Indemnity Company
5360 Interstate 55 North
P.O. Box 2361
Jackson, Mississippi 39205
Phone: (601) 956-5600

Missouri-Eastern
MFA Insurance Companies
1817 West Broadway
Columbia, Missouri 65201
Phone: (314) 445-8441

Misouri-Western
Royal-Globe Insurance Companies
1125 Grand Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri 64141
Phone: (816) 842-6116

Montana
The Home Insurance Company
8 Third Street N.-P.O. Box 1031
Great Falls, Montana 59401
Phone: (406) 761-8110

Nebraska
Royal-Globe Insurance Companies
1125 Grand Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri 64141
Phone: (816) 842-6116

Nevada
The Hartford Insurance Group
P.O. Box 500
Reno, Nevada 89504
Phone: (702) 329-1061

New Hampshire
Commercial Union Insurance Company
1 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02108
Phone: (617) 725-6358

New Jersey
Centennial Insurance Company
97 Main Street
Chatham, New Jersey 07928
Phone: (201) 635-6800

New Mexico
CNA Insurance
1660 Lincoln St. Suite 18
Denver, Colorado 80203
Phone: (303) 266-0561

New York
Great American Insurance Company
5 Dakota Drive
Lake Success, New York 11040
Phone: (516) 775-6900

North Carolina
Kemper Insurance
1229 Greenwood Cliff
Charlotte, North Carolina 28204
Phone: (704) 372-7150

North Dakota
The St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Company
254 Hamm Building
408 St. Peter Street
St. Paul, Minnesota 55102
Phone: (612) 227-9581

Ohio-Northern
Commercial Union Insurance Company
1300 East 9th St.
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Phone: (216) 522-1060

Ohio-Southern
CNA Insurance
111 East 4th Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202
Phone: (513) 621-7107

Oklahoma
Republic-Vanguard Insurance Group
P.O. Box 3000
Dallas, Texas 75221
Phone: (214) 528-0301

Oregon
State Farm Fire & Casualty Company
4600 25th Avenue, N.E.
Salem, Oregon 97303
Phone: (503) 393-0101

Pennsylvania-Eastern
General Accident F & L
Assurance Corp., Ltd.
414 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
19106
Phone: (215) 238-5512

Pennsylvania-Western
Zurich-American Group
1665 Washington Road
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
15228
Phone: (412) 833-8000

Puerto Rico
Puerto Rico Inspection and
Rating Bureau
Penthouse 7th Ochoa Bldg.
7th floor P.O. Box 1333
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00902
Phone: (809) 723-0000

Rhode Island
American Universal Insurance Co.
144 Wayland Avenue
Providence, Rhode Island
02904
Phone: (401) 351-4600

South Carolina
Maryland Casualty Company
P.O. Box 11615
Charlotte, North Carolina
28209
Phone: (704) 525-8330

South Dakota
The St. Paul Fire & Marine
Insurance Co.
Hamm Building
408 St. Peter Street
St. Paul, Minnesota 55102
Phone: (612) 227-9581

Tennessee
CNA Insurance
110-21st Avenue South
Nashville, Tennessee 37203
Phone: (615) 327-0061

Texas
The Home Insurance Company
2100 Travis Street
Houston, Texas 77002
Phone: (713) 225-0931

Utah
CNA Insurance
1660 Lincoln St. Suite 1800
Denver, Colorado 80203
Phone: (303) 266-0561

Vermont
Commercial Union Insurance Company
1 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02108
Phone: (617) 725-6358

Virginia
Insurance Company of North America
5225 Wisconsin Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20015
Phone: (202) 244-2000

Washington
Fireman's Fund American Insurance
Companies
1000 Plaza 600 Building
6th & Stewart
Seattle, Washington 98101
Phone: (206) 587-3200

West Virginia
U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company
3324 McCorkle Avenue, S. E.
Charleston, West Virginia 25304
Phone: (304) 344-1692

Wisconsin
Aetna Insurance Company
5735 East River Road
Chicago, Illinois 60631
Phone: (312) 693-2500

Wyoming
CNA Insurance
1660 Lincoln St. Suite 1800
Denver, Colorado 80203
Phone: (303) 266-0561

Environmental Financing Authority

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) does not have a loan program but to assist public bodies in carrying out construction of waste water treatment facilities, the Environmental Finance Authority was formed in the Department of the Treasury.

Section 12 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 (Environmental Financing Act) authorizes the Environmental Financing Authority to purchase State and local public body obligations which finance the "non-Federal share" of the cost of a project for the construction of waste treatment works. Under this section the Environmental Protection Agency: (1) May certify to the Environmental Financing Authority that the public body is unable to obtain on reasonable terms sufficient credit to finance its actual needs, (2) must approve the project for grant assistance under the FWPCA, and (3) will guarantee the timely payment by the public body of principal and interest on the obligation.

It was not the intent of the Act that EFA compete with private bond underwriters in the municipal bond market. EFA is not to provide financing assistance to a community that can borrow money on the open market at reasonable rates.

Regulations governing EFA were published in the June 14, 1974, Federal Register (40 CFR 39). Address inquiries to the appropriate EPA Regional Administrator.

The Environmental Financing Act provides that the interest rate on obligations purchased by the Authority shall be determined by the Secretary of the Treasury after he takes into consideration current market yeilds on Government and municipal obligations. Thus the interest rate on obligations purchased by the Authority will depend on market yeilds at the time of purchase.

On September 5, 1974, the Notice of Interest Rate at 8% was published in the Federal Register, Vol. 39, No. 173, page 32189.

Small Business Loans

Section 8 of P. L. 92-500 amended section 7 of the Small Business Act, 15 U.S.C. 636, to authorize loans to assist small business concerns in adding to or altering their equipment, facilities, or methods of operation in order to meet the water pollution control requirements established under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. A prerequisite to receiving such a loan is a written statement issued by the Environmental Protection Agency or (if appropriate) the State, certifying that the additions, alterations, or methods of operation are "necessary and adequate" to comply with pollution control requirements established under the Act. Interim regulations published in the Federal Register on August 16, 1974, describe the uniform rules for issuing such statements.

Small business concerns can be eligible for an SBA loan if the additions, alterations, or methods of operation necessary for pollution control result from their engaging in one or more of the following activities:

1. The business has a discharge requiring permitting under section 402 of the Act.
2. The business discharges into a publicly owned treatment works which requires pretreatment by the business.
3. The business plans to discharge into a municipal sewer system through the construction of a lateral or interceptor sewer.
4. The business is subject to the requirements of a State or areawide authority for controlling the disposal of pollutants that may affect groundwater.
5. The business requires a Corps of Engineers permit for dredged or fill material.
6. The business is subject to Coast Guard or State requirements regarding the standard of performance of marine sanitation devices controlling sewage from vessels.
7. The business is implementing a plan to control or prevent the discharge or spill of oil or other hazardous substances.

EPA's role under these guidelines is to determine the sufficiency of the proposed additions or alterations of equipment, facilities, or methods of operation in meeting water pollution control requirements. To receive the requisite statement from EPA, an applying small business concern need not demonstrate that all its activities or discharges will meet all applicable requirements under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. It need only shown that the additions, alterations, or methods of operation for which it is applying for SBA financing are necessary and adequate for compliance with one or more of such applicable requirements.

The review by EPA will be a technical review, with review of the applicant's eligibility as a small business and for the amount of financial assistance requested to be conducted by SBA.

Applicants will also be subject to separate regulations promulgated by the Small Business Administration with regard to their financial eligibility and which establish procedures concerning applicants to SBA for loan assistance.

This regulation does not apply to requests for loans to assist small businesses in meeting a compliance requirement under the Clean Air Act as authorized by the Small Business Act, section 7(b) (5). A separate program and procedures will be established for these loans. It is expected that the Small Business Administration will coordinate directly with individual State air pollution control agencies in this regard.

Programmatic information may be obtained from: Chief, Water Program Planning and Accomplishments Branch (AW-454); Office of Water and Hazardous Materials Programs; Environmental Protection Agency; East Tower-Room 815; 401 M Street, S. W., Washington, D. C. 20460.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON EPA GRANTS AWARDED, REPORTS GENERATED BY GRANTS AND OTHER GRANTS-RELATED MATERIALS

PUBLICATIONS-AWARDS AND ADMINISTRATION

Awards Register-Grants Assistance Program-Showing Projects Awarded in Fiscal Year 1973, EPA 220/1-73-004, NTIS order no. PB 229 827/AS
$10.00 paper copy, $1.45 microfiche

Quarterly Awards Listing-Grants Assistance Programs-1st Quarter, FY 1974, EPA 220/1-74-001, NTIS order no. PB 230 377/AS
$6.75 paper copy., $1.45 microfiche

Quarterly Awards Listing-Grants Assistance Programs - 2nd Quarter, FY 1974, EPA 220/1-74-002; EPA 220/1-740-002, NTIS order no. PB233 884/AS,
$4.00 paper copy, $1.45 microfiche.

Quarterly Awards Listing-Grants Assistance Programs-3rd Quarter FY 1974, EPA 220/1-740-003,
NTIS ORDER NO. PB 236001/AS $4.00 paper copy
$2.25 microfische.

Quarterly Awards Listing - Grants Assistance Programs-4th Quarter, FY 1974, EPA-GAD/1-74-004, NTIS number and price are not available at this time. Order by EPA number and title.

The format of the above publications has the initial sort by States. Each entry includes grantee identification program area such as water, air, grant title, grant number, award date and dollar amount.

The public can purchase the above from the:

National Technical Information Service (NTIS)
Department of Commerce
5285 Port Royal Road
Springfield, Virginia 22151

The Awards Register, Grants Assistance Programs (EPA) Showing Projects Awarded in Fiscal Year 1972 can be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO), Washington, D. C. 20402. This document can be ordered for $3.70 by mail delivery and $3.25 if picked up at GPO When ordering, specify Stock Number 5500-00084. For materials ordered from the Government Printing Office, address requests and make checks payable To: Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Grants Administration Manual - sold on a subscription basis by the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20460 - Consists of of the basic manual and supplements at a cost of $18.00. To purchase the manual and supplements, subscribe to EPA, 8/2 EPA Grants Administration Manual. All correspondence concerning this publication should be addressed to GPO.

Awards for the waste water treatment facilities construction grants under Public Law 92-500 made during a particular month are listed in a monthly publication entitled "Waste Water Treatment Construction Data Base - Public Law 92-500 Project Records". This publication is prepared by the Grants Administration Division and distributed and sold on a per issue basis by the National Technical Information Services. It is distributed to subscribers not later than five weeks after the close of the awards-listed month.

The March 1974 issue (PB 23130) provides a base listing of all grants awarded under Public Law 92-500. Beginning with the April 1974 issue (PB 231300-01) the listings will contain awards for one month only and will be numbered in sequence. Micorfishe (24x) of each copy is also available. The subscription price is $100.00 annually starting with the January 1, 1975. Previous issues can be purchased at $25.00 a copy.

The Project Register of Waste Water Treatment Construction Grants is presently made available at no charge to interested individuals. There are semi-annual historical editions and quarterly updates. The historical editions include all projects going back to 1956, which marked the beginning of Federal assistance for waste water treatment construction. The lastest historical edition includes awards through June 30, 1973, and limited copies may be obtained from Grants Administration Division, Grants Information Branch, EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460.

All Awards Registers and Listings are available for examination at any of the EPA Libraries or at the EPA Headquarters Public Information Office or Grants Information Branch, Grants Administration Division. Copies for examination are also available in each EPA regional office.

OTHER GRANT RELATED INFORMATION

A 200-250 word summary of a grant project is available on the majority of research and demonstration grants.

These summaries are available only for projects that have received EPA funding. In rare instances, a grant application may contain privileged information and is so designated. For these only the award data such as grant number, applicant's name, organization, location, grant title, grant amount awarded, and award date is available; other information may be available depending on the particular circumstances.

The Smithsonia scientific Information Exchange (SSIE) 1730 M Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036, receives a copy of the summary of a grant and makes it available to the public on a fee basis. The cost of a printout is $2 for each with a minimum of $6 for any search procedure conducted on the investigators name and then on the exact title. All requests for this service should be addressed to SSIE.

REPORTS GENERATED BY GRANT SUPPORTED PROJECTS

Final reports and other program reports generated by grant supported projects are published and made available if merited. A listing of these published reports with purchasing information can be obtained from:

"Air Pollution Technical Publications of the U.S.
Environmental Protection Agency"
Air Research Technical Information Center
EPA Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711

"List of Publications of the Pesticide Program"
Information Section, Office of Pesticides Programs
EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460

"A list of Available Literature"
Office of Solid Waste Management
Publication and Distribution Unit
EPA, Cincinnati, Ohio 45268

"Bibliography of Water Quality Research Reports"
Chief, Publication Branch (Water) Research
Information Division
EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460

Other Research and Development Grants Reports are available and listed as:

"Biblography of R&M Research Reports"
Publications Staff, (RD 674)
Office of Research and Development
EPA, Washington, D. C. 20460

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